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Phthalamide derivatives, or salt thereof agrohorticultural insecticide, and method for using (54)the same

The present invention provides a phthalamide derivative of the formula (I): (57)

$$(X)1 \qquad 0 \qquad A^{1}-S-R^{1}$$

$$(X)1 \qquad 0 \qquad A^{1}-S-R^{1}$$

$$(Y)m$$

$$(Y$$

[wherein A1 is (substituted) C1-C8 alkylene, (substituted) C3-C8 alkenylene, (substituted) C3-C8 alkynylene, etc., R1 is H, (halo) C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl, (substituted) phenyl, (substituted) heterocycle, -A²-R⁴, etc., R² and R³ are H, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl, -A²-R⁴, etc., A² is -C(=O)-, -C(=S)- or -C(=NR⁵)-, R⁴ is H, alkyl, (substituted) phenyl, (substituted) heterocycle, etc., X and Y are halogen, cyano, nitro, (halo) C₁-C₆ alkyl, (halo) C₁-C₆ alkoxy, etc., 1 is 0-4, m is 0-5, n is 0-2]; and an agrohorticultural insecticide containing said compound as active ingredient and exhibiting an excellent insecticidal effect.

Description

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

FIELD OF THE INVENTION

[0001] The present invention relates to a phthalamide derivative or salt thereof, an agrohorticultural insecticide containing said compound as an active ingredient thereof, and a method for using the agrohorticultural agent.

RELATED ART

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[0002]. JP-A-61-180753 discloses some of the phthalamide derivatives of the present invention. However, in that patent application specification, there is neither disclosed nor suggested about usefulness of said derivatives as an agrohorticultural insecticide. Further, although similar compounds are disclosed in JP-A-59-163353 and J. C. S. Perkin I, 1338-1350 (1978), etc., there is made no mention nor suggestion in these publications about usefulness of those compounds as an agrohorticultural insecticide.

SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

[0003] The present inventors have conducted extensive studies with the aim of developing a novel agrohorticultural agent. As a result, it has been found that the phthalamide derivatives of the present invention represented by general formula (I), which are novel compounds not found in literature, can be put to a novel use as an agrohorticultural insecticide comprising not only these novel compounds but also some known compounds disclosed in prior art. Based on this finding, the present invention has been accomplished.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION

[0004] The present invention relates to phthalamide derivatives represented by the following general formula (I) or salt thereof, an agrohorticultural insecticide containing, as active ingredients thereof, the phthalamide derivative represented by the general formula (I) or salt thereof and some known compounds, and a method for using the same:

$$(X)1 \qquad 0 \qquad A^{1} - S - R^{1}$$

$$(X)1 \qquad 0 \qquad A^{1} - S - R^{1}$$

$$(Y)m$$

$$(I)$$

$$(I)$$

$$(I)$$

$$(I)$$

wherein A^1 represents C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, substituted C_1 - C_8 alkylene group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, C_1 - C_6

atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, or substituted C_3 - C_6 alkylplene group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, ha

further, an arbitrary saturated carbon atom in said C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, substituted C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, C_3 - C_8 alkynylene group and substituted C_3 - C_8 alkynylene group may be substituted with a C_2 - C_5 alkylene group to form a C_3 - C_6 cycloalkane ring, and arbitrary two carbon atoms in said C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, substituted C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, C_3 - C_8 alkenylene group and substituted C_3 - C_8 alkenylene group may be taken conjointly with an alkylene group or an alkenylene group to form a C_3 - C_6 cycloalkane ring or C_3 - C_6 cycloalkene ring;

R¹ represents hydrogen atom, mercapto group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C3-C6 cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenylthio group, substituted phenylthio group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio $group,\ C_1-C_6\ alkylsulfinyl\ group,\ halo\ C_1-C_6\ alkylsulfinyl\ group,\ C_1-C_6\ alkylsulfonyl\ group,\ halo\ C_1-C_6\ alkylsulfonyl\ grou$ group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 -C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, or -A²-R⁴ [wherein A² represents -C(=O)-, -C(=S)-, -C(=NR⁵)-(in which R^5 represents hydrogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group or substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁- C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group), C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, halo C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, C_3 - C_6 alkenylene group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenylene group, C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group or halo C3-C6 alkynylene group; and

(1) in cases where A^2 represents -C(=O)-, -C(=S)-or $-C(=NR^5)$ - wherein R^5 is as defined above, R^4 represents hydrogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, hal

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alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, or -Z¹-R⁶ wherein Z¹ represents -O-, -S- or -N(R⁷)-(wherein R' represents hydrogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylcarbonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylcarbonyl group or C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group), and R⁶ represents hydrogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, C₃- C_6 cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, substituted phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 nyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, $C_1 - C_6 \text{ alkoxy group, halo } C_1 - C_6 \text{ alkoxy group, } C_1 - C_6 \text{ alkylthio group, halo } C_1 - C_6 \text{ alkylthio group, } C_1 - C_6 \text{ alkylthio group, halo } C_1 - C_6 \text{ alkylthio gr$ sulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C1-C6 alkylamino group, di C1-C6 alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, and

(2) in cases where A² represents C₁-C₈ alkylene group, halo C₁-C₈ alkylene group, C₃-C₆ alkenylene group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenylene group, C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group or halo C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group, \mathbb{R}^4 represents hydrogen atom, halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylaminocarbonyl group, di C₁-C₆ alkylaminocarbonyl group in which C₁- C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, or - Z^2 - R^8 wherein Z^2 represents -O-, -S-, -SO-, -SO₂-, -N(R⁹)- (wherein R⁹ represents hydrogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylcarbonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylcarbonyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, phenylcarbonyl group, or substituted phenylcarbonyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group), -C(=0)- or - $\hbox{C(=NOR$^{10})- (wherein R10 represents hydrogen atom, C_1-C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1-C_6 alkyl group, C_3-C_6 alkenyl group, C_3-C_6 group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkynyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkynyl group, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, phenyl C1-C4 alkyl group or substituted phenyl C1-C4 alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group) and R⁸ represents hydrogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkynyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkynyl group, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylcarbonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylcarbonyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylaminocarbonyl group, di C₁-C₆ alkylaminocarbonyl group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆

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alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, substituted phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, or different group, or different group group, or different group group, or different gro

alternatively, R¹ may be combined with A¹ to form a 5- to 8-membered ring which may be intercepted by 1 or 2, same or different oxygen atoms, sulfur atoms or nitrogen atoms;

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 R^2 and R^3 which may be same or different, represent hydrogen atom, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group or $-A^2$ - R^4 wherein A^2 and R^4 are as defined above; or

alternatively, R² may be combined with A¹ or R¹ to form a 5- to 7-membered ring which may be intercepted by 1 or 2, same or different oxygen atoms, sulfur atoms or nitrogen atoms;

X which may be same or different, represents halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - $C_6 \text{ alkylsulfinyl group, } C_1 - C_6 \text{ alkylsulfinyl group, halo } C_1 - C_6 \text{ alkylsulfinyl group, } C_1 - C_6 \text{ alkylsulfonyl group, halo } C_1 - C_6$ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C1-C6 alkylamino group, di C1-C6 alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, or - A^3 - R^{11} [wherein A^3 represents -O-, -S-, -SO-, -SO₂-, -C(=O)-, -C(=NOR¹²)- (in which R^{12} represents hydrogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkynyl group, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group or substituted phenyl C1-C4 alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group), C₁-C₆ alkylene group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylene group, C₂-C₆ alkenylene group, halo $\mathrm{C_2\text{-}C_6}$ alkenylene group, $\mathrm{C_2\text{-}C_6}$ alkynylene group or halo $\mathrm{C_3\text{-}C_6}$ alkynylene group; and

(1) in cases where A³ represents -O-, -S-, -SO- or -SO₂-, R¹¹ represents halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C6 cycloalkenyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkylamino groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁- C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, or $-A^4$ - R^{13} (wherein A^4 represents C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, C_3 - C_6 alkenylene group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenylene group, C_3 -C₆ alkynylene group or halo C₃-C₆ alkynylene group, and R¹³ represents hydrogen atom, halogen atom, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group nyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, or -A⁵-R¹⁴ (wherein A⁵ represents -O-, -S-, -SO-, -SO₂- or -C(=O)-, and R¹⁴ represents C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo $\texttt{C}_{1}\textbf{-}\texttt{C}_{6} \text{ alkyl group, } \texttt{C}_{3}\textbf{-}\texttt{C}_{6} \text{ alkenyl group, halo } \texttt{C}_{3}\textbf{-}\texttt{C}_{6} \text{ alkenyl group, } \texttt{C}_{3}\textbf{-}\texttt{C}_{6} \text{ alkynyl group, halo } \texttt{C}_{3}\textbf{-}\texttt{C}_{6} \text{ alkynyl$ group, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group)), and

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(2) in cases where A3 represents -C(=O)- or -C(=NOR12)- wherein R12 is as defined above, R11 represents hydrogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₂-C₆ alkenyl group, halo C₂-C₆ alkenyl group, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C1-C6 alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, phenylamino group, substituted phenylamino group having on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group,

(3) in cases where A³ represents C₁-C₆ alkylene group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylene group, C₂-C₆ alkenylene group, halo C₂-C₆ alkenylene group, C₂-C₆ alkynylene group or halo C₃-C₆ alkynylene group, R¹¹ represents hydrogen atom, hydroxy group, halogen atom, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 -C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, or -A⁶-R¹⁵ (wherein A⁶ represents -O-, -S-, -SO- or -SO₂-, and R¹⁵ represents C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di

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C1-C6 alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, or -A⁷-R¹⁶ (wherein A⁷ represents C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, C_2 - C_6 alkenylene group, halo C_2 - C_6 alkenylene group, C_2 - C_6 alkynylene group or halo C_3 -C₆ alkynylene group, and R¹⁶ represents hydrogen atom, halogen atom, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, h fonyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 sulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, phenoxy group, substituted phenoxy group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C1-C6 alkylamino group, di C1-C6 alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, phenylthio group, substituted phenylthio group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C1-C6 alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group))]; and I represents an integer of 0 to 4; and

alternatively, X may be taken conjointly with the adjacent carbon atom on the phenyl ring to form a fused ring, and said fused ring may have at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoycarbonyl group; and

Y may be same or different and represents halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, halo C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, tri C_1 - C_6 alkylsilyl group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyls

Y may be taken conjointly with an adjacent carbon atom on the phenyl ring to form a fused ring, and said fused ring may have at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents

selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, and substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1

n represents an integer of 0 to 2;

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provided that when X, R^2 and R^3 simultaneously represent hydrogen atom, m represents an integer of 2, Y of the 2-position represents fluorine atom and Y of the 3-position represents chlorine atom, then A^1 is not propylene group, R^1 is not methyl group and n is not an integer of 0.

[0005] In the definition of the general formula (I) representing the phthalamide derivative of the present invention, the term "halogen atom" means chlorine atom, bromine atom, iodine atom or fluorine atom; the term " C_1 - C_6 alkyl" means a straight or branched chain alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms such as methyl, ethyl, n-propyl, n-butyl, i-butyl, s-butyl, t-butyl, n-pentyl, n-hexyl and the like; the term "halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl" means a straight or branched chain alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms which may be substituted with at least one, same or different halogen atoms; the term " C_1 - C_8 alkylene" means a straight or branched chain alkylene group having 1 to 8 carbon atoms such as methylene, propylene, trimethylene, dimethylenehylene, tetramethylene, isobutylene, dimethylethylene, octamethylene and the like; the term "a 5- to 8- or 5- to 7-membered ring which may be intercepted by 1 to 2, same or different oxygen atoms, sulfur atoms or nitrogen atoms formed by R^1 with R^1 , or R^2 with R^1 means, for example, perhydrothiazine ring, thiazolidine ring, thiazolidine ring, dihydrothiazine ring, thiazoline ring, perhydroxathiazine ring, dithiazine ring, perhydrodithiazine ring, and the like.

[0006] The term "heterocyclic group" means 5- to 6-membered heterocyclic group having one or more same or different hetero atoms selected from oxygen atoms, sulfur atoms or nitrogen atoms such as pyridyl group, pyridine-Noxide group, pyrimidinyl group, furyl group, tetrahydrofuryl group, thienyl group, tetrahydrofhienyl group, tetrahydrofhienyl group, tetrahydrofhienyl group, tetrahydrofhienyl group, tetrahydrofhienyl group, tetrahydrofhienyl group, isoxazolyl group, oxadiazolyl group, thiazolyl group, imidazolyl group, irithiazolyl group, pyrazolyl group, and the like. As the "fused ring", there can be exemplified naphthalene, tetrahydronaphthalene, indene, indane, quinoline, quinazoline, indole, indoline, coumarone, isocoumarone, benzodioxane, benzodioxole, benzofuran, dihydrobenzofuran, benzothiophene, dihydrobenzothiophene, benzoxazole, benzothiazole, benzimidazole, indazole, and the like.

[0007] As a salt of a phthalamide derivative represented by the general formula (I) of the present invention, there can be exemplified inorganic acid salt such as hydrochlorate, sulfate, nitrate, phosphate and the like; organic acid salt such as acetate, fumarate, maleate, oxalate, methanesulfonate, benzenesulfonate, p-toluenesulfonate and the like; and salt of metallic ion such as sodium ion, potassium ion, calcium ion and the like.

[0008] Some of the phthalamide derivatives represented by the general formula (I) of the present invention contain an asymmetric carbon atom or an asymmetric center in the structural formula thereof, and in some cases there can exist two optical isomers. The present invention includes all these optical isomers and all the mixtures consisting of arbitrary proportions of these optical isomers.

[0009] Preferable examples of each substituent of the phthalamide derivative of general formula (I) or salt thereof of the present invention are A^1 is a straight or branched C_1 - C_8 alkylene group; R^1 is C_1 - C_6 alkyl group or halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group; each of R^2 and R^3 is hydrogen atom or C_1 - C_6 alkyl group; X is halogen atom, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group or halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group; and Y is halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group.

[0010] The phthalamide derivatives of the present invention represented by the general formula (I) can be produced, for example, by the production processes mentioned below.

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Production process 1

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$$(X)_{1} \quad 0 \qquad H_{2}_{N} \longrightarrow (X)_{1} \quad 0 \qquad (X)_{1} \quad 0 \qquad (Y)_{m}$$

$$C \quad C \quad (IV) \qquad C \quad W \longrightarrow (Y)_{m}$$

$$C \quad 0 \qquad (III)$$

wherein R1, R2, A1, X, Y, I, m and n are as defined above.

[0011] A phthalic anhydride derivative of the general formula (V) is reacted with an aniline of the general formula (IV) in the presence of an inert solvent to obtain a phthalimide derivative of the general formula (III). The phthalimide derivative (III) is reacted with an amine of the general formula (II) after or without being isolated, whereby a phthalamide derivative of the general formula (I-1) can be produced.

(1) General formula (V) → general formula (III)

[0012] As the inert solvent used in this reaction, any solvent may be used so long as it does not markedly inhibit the progress of the reaction. There can be exemplified aromatic hydrocarbons such as benzene, toluene, xylene, etc.; halogenated hydrocarbons such as dichloromethane, chloroform, carbon tetrachloride, etc., chlorinated aromatic hydrocarbons such as chlorobenzene, dichlorobenzene, etc.; acyclic or cyclic ethers such as diethyl ether, dioxane, tetrahydrofuran, etc., esters such as ethyl acetate, etc.; amides such as dimethylformamide, dimethylacetamide, etc.; acids such as acetic acid, etc.; dimethyl sulfoxide; and 1,3-dimethyl-2-imidazolidinone. These inert solvents may be used alone or as a mixture thereof.

[0013] Since the reaction is an equimolar reaction, it is sufficient that the reactants are used in equimolar amounts, though either of them may be used in excess. If necessary, the reaction may be carried out under dehydrating conditions.

[0014] As to the reaction temperature, the reaction can be carried out in a temperature range of room temperature to the reflux temperature of the inert solvent used. Although the reaction time is varied depending on the scale of reaction, the reaction temperature, etc., it may be properly chosen in a range of several minutes to 48 hours.

[0015] After completion of the reaction, the desired compound is isolated from the reaction solution containing the desired compound by a conventional method, and if necessary, purified by recrystallization, column chromatography, etc., whereby the desired compound can be produced. The desired compound can be subjected to the subsequent reaction without isolation from the reaction solution.

[0016] The phthalic anhydride derivative of the general formula (V) can be produced by the process described in J.

Org. Chem., $\underline{52}$, 129 (1987), J. Am. Chem. Soc., $\underline{51}$, 1865 (1929), J. Am. Chem. Soc., $\underline{63}$, 1542 (1941), etc. The aniline of the general formula (IV) can be produced by the process described in J. Org. Chem., $\underline{29}$, 1 (1964), Angew. Chem. Int. Ed. Engl., $\underline{24}$, 871 (1985), Synthesis, $\underline{1984}$, 667, Bulletin of the Chemical Society of Japan, $\underline{1973}$, 2351, DE-2606982, JP-A-1-90163, etc.

(2) General formula (III) → general formula (I-1)

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[0017] In this reaction, there can be used the inert solvents exemplified above as the inert solvent used in the reaction (1).

[0018] Since the reaction is an equimolar reaction, it is sufficient that the reactants are used in equimolar amounts, though the amine of the general formula (II) may be used in excess.

[0019] As to the reaction temperature, the reaction can be carried out in a temperature range of room temperature to the reflux temperature of the inert solvent used. Although the reaction time is varied depending on the scale of reaction, the reaction temperature, etc., it may be properly chosen in a range of several minutes to 48 hours.

[0020] After completion of the reaction, the desired compound is isolated from the reaction solution containing the desired compound by a conventional method, and if necessary, purified by recrystallization, column chromatography, etc., whereby the desired compound can be produced.

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wherein R¹, R², A¹, X, Y, I, m and n are as defined above, X' is a halogen atom or a nitro group, provided that X is other than a hydrogen atom or a nitro group.

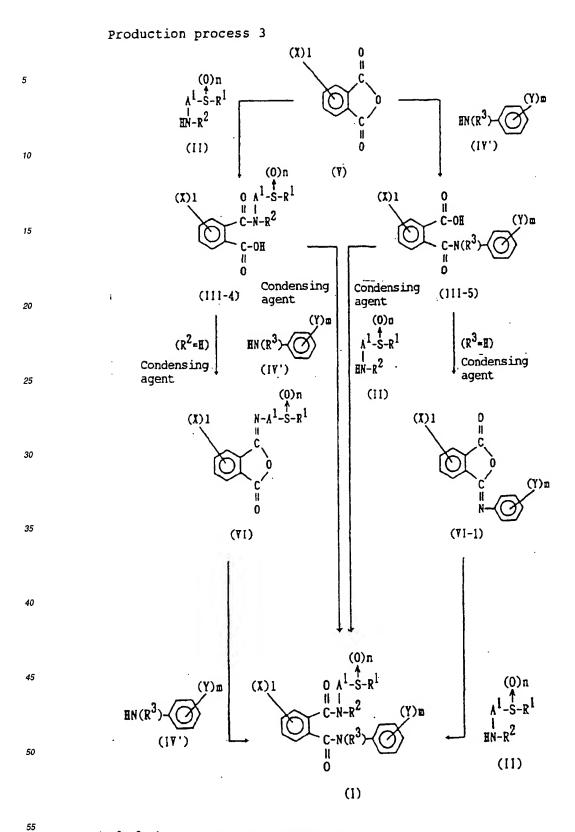
[0021] A phthalimide derivative of the general formula (III-1) is reacted with a reactant corresponding to X in the presence of an inert solvent to obtain a phthalimide derivative of the general formula (III). The phthalimide derivative (III) is reacted with an amine of the general formula (II) after or without being isolated, whereby a phthalamide derivative of the general formula (I-1) can be produced.

Õ	General formula	(HI-1)	\rightarrow ge	neral	formula	(III)
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[0022] This reaction can be carried out according to the methods described in J. Org. Chem., <u>42</u>, 3415 (1977), Tetrahedron, <u>25</u>, 5921 (1969), Synthesis, <u>1984</u>, 667, Chem. Lett., <u>1973</u>, 471, J. Org. Chem., <u>39</u>, 3318 (1974), J. Org. Chem., <u>39</u>, 3327 (1974), etc.

(2) General formula (III) \rightarrow general formula (I-1)

[0023] This reaction can be carried out according to production process 1-(2).



wherein R¹, R², R³, A¹, X, Y, I, m and n are as defined above.

[0024] A phthalic anhydride derivative of the general formula (V) is reacted with an amine of the general formula (II) in the presence of an inert solvent to obtain a phthalamic acid of the general formula (III-4). The phthalamic acid (III-4)

is treated as follows after or without isolation. When R² of the phthalamic acid (III-4) is a hydrogen atom, the phthalamic acid (III-4) is condensed into a compound of the general formula (VI) in the presence of a condensing agent, and the compound (VI) is reacted with an aniline of the general formula (IV') in the presence of an inert solvent after or without being isolated. When R² of the phthalamic acid (III-4) is other than a hydrogen atom, the phthalamic acid (III-4) is condensed with an aniline of the general formula (IV) in the presence of a condensing agent. Thus, a phthalamide derivative of the general formula (I) can be produced.

[0025] Alternatively, a phthalic anhydride derivative of the general formula (V) is reacted with an aniline of the general formula (IV') in the presence of an inert solvent to obtain a phthalamic acid of the general formula (III-5). The phthalamic acid (III-5) is treated as follows after or without isolation. When R³ of the phthalamic acid (III-5) is a hydrogen atom, the phthalamic acid (III-5) is condensed into a compound of the general formula (VI-1) in the presence of a condensing agent, and the compound (VI-1) is reacted with an amine of the general formula (II) in the presence of an inert solvent after or without being isolated. When R³ of the phthalamic acid (III-5) is other than a hydrogen atom, the phthalamic acid (III-5) is condensed with an amine of the general formula (II) in the presence of a condensing agent. Thus, a phthalamide derivative of the general formula (I) can be produced.

- (1) General formula (V) or general formula (VI-1) → general formula (III-4) or general formula (I), respectively
- [0026] The desired compound can be produced by this reaction in the same manner as in production process 1-(2).
- (2) General formula (III-4) or general formula (III-5) → general formula (VI) or general formula (VI-1), respectively
 - [0027] The desired compound can be produced by this reaction according to the method described in J. Med. Chem., 10, 982 (1967).
- (3) General formula (VI) or general formula (V) → general formula (I) or general formula (III-5), respectively
 - [0028] The desired compound can be produced by this reaction in the same manner as in production process 1-(2).
 - (4) General formula (III-4) or general formula (III-5) → general formula (I)
 - [0029] The desired compound can be produced by reacting the phthalamic acid derivative of the general formula (III-4) or the general formula (III-5) with the aniline of the general formula (IV') or the amine of the general formula (II), respectively, in the presence of a condensing agent and an inert solvent. If necessary, the reaction can be carried out in the presence of a base.
 - [0030] The inert solvent used in the reaction includes, for example, tetrahydrofuran, diethyl ether, dioxane, chloroform and dichloromethane. As the condensing agent used in the reaction, any condensing agent may be used so long as it is used in usual amide synthesis. The condensing agent includes, for example, Mukaiyama reagent (e.g. 2-chloro-N-methylpyridinium iodide), 1,3-dicyclohexylcarbodiimide (DCC), carbonyldiimidazole (CDI) and diethyl phosphorocyanidate (DEPC). The amount of the condensing agent used may be properly chosen in a range of 1 mole to excess moles per mole of the phthalamic acid derivative of the general formula (III-4) or the general formula (III-5).
 - [0031] As the base usable in the reaction, there can be exemplified organic bases such as triethylamine, pyridine, etc. and inorganic bases such as potassium carbonate, etc. The amount of the base used may be properly chosen in a range of 1 mole to excess moles per mole of the phthalamic acid derivative of the general formula (III-4) or the general formula (III-5).
- [0032] As to the reaction temperature, the reaction can be carried out in a temperature range of 0°C to the boiling point of the inert solvent used. Although the reaction time is varied depending on the scale of reaction, the reaction temperature, etc., it ranges from several minutes to 48 hours.
 - [0033] After completion of the reaction, the desired compound is isolated from the reaction solution containing the desired compound by a conventional method, and if necessary, purified by recrystallization, column chromatography, etc., whereby the desired compound can be produced.

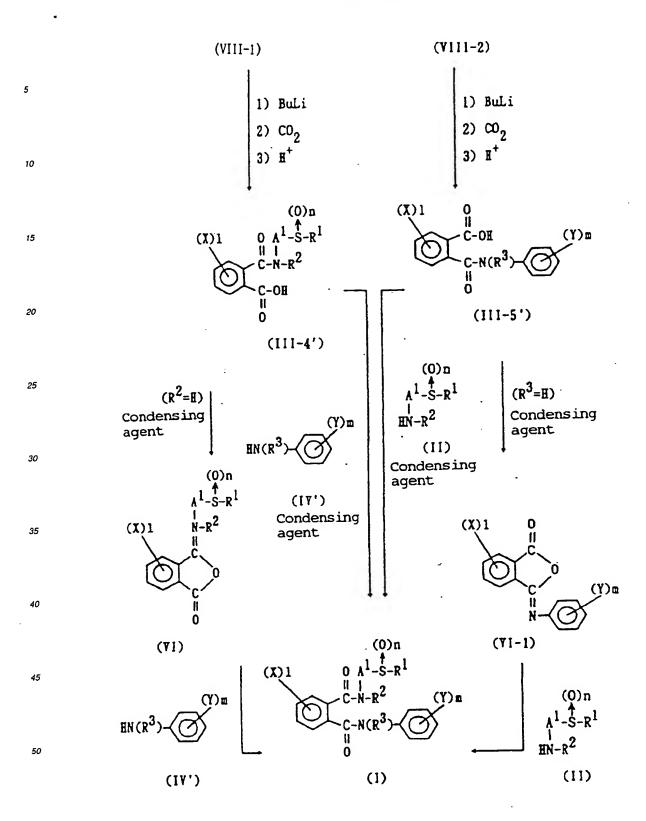
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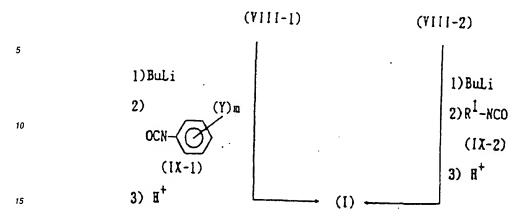
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wherein R¹, R², A¹, X, Y, I, m and n are as defined above, and Hal is halogen atom.



wherein R1, Y and m are as defined above.

[0034] A benzoyl halide of the general formula (VII) is reacted with an amine derivative of the general formula (II) or (IV') in the presence of an inert solvent to obtain a benzamide of the general formula (VIII-1) or (VIII-2). The benzamide (VIII-1) or (VIII-2) is ortho-metallized with a metallic reagent such as butyllithium or the like and then directly reacted with an isocyanate of the general formula (IX-1) or (IX-2). Alternatively, the benzamide (VIII-1) or (VIII-2) is reacted with carbon dioxide to obtain a phthalamic acid of the general formula (III-4') or (III-5') and then treated in the same manner as in Production process 3-(1) to (4). Thus, a phthalamide derivative of the general formula (I) can be produced.

- (1) General formula (VII) → general formula (VIII-1) or general formula (VIII-2)
- [0035] The desired compound can be produced according to the description of J. Org. Chem. 32, 3069 (1967), etc.
- (2) General formula (VIII-1) or general formula (VIII-2) \rightarrow general formula (I)
- [0036] The desired compound can be produced by converting a benzamide of the general formula (VIII-1) or (VIII-2) into an ortho-lithio compound according to the description of J. Org. Chem. 29, 853 (1964) and then reacted with an isocyanate of the general formula (IX-1) or (IX-2) at a temperature of -80°C to room temperature, whereby the desired compound can be produced.
- 40 (3) General formula (VIII-1) or general formula (VIII-2) → general formula (III-4') or general formula (III-5'), respectively
 - [0037] The desired compound can be produced by the same conversion into an ortho-lithio compound as in (2), followed by introduction of carbon dioxide at a temperature of -80°C to room temperature.
 - [0038] After completion of the reaction, the desired compound is isolated from the reaction solution by the conventional method and, if necessary, purified by recrystallization, column chromatography, etc., whereby the desired compound can be produced.
 - (4) General formula (III-4') or general formula (III-5') → general formula (I)
- ⁵⁰ [0039] The desired compound can be produced by the same procedure as in production process 3-(1) to (4).

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Production process 5

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wherein R1, R2, R3, A1, X, Y, I, m and n are as defined above, provided that n cannot be an integer of 0.

A phthalamide derivative of the general formula (I-2) is reacted with an oxidant in the presence of an inert solvent, whereby a phthalamide derivative of the general formula (I-3) can be produced.

As the inert solvent used in this reaction, there can be exemplified halogenated hydrocarbons such as dichloromethane, chloroform, etc., aromatic hydrocarbon such as toluene, xylene, etc., acids such as acetic acid, etc., and alcohols such as methanol, ethanol, propanol, etc.

As the oxidant, there can be exemplified m-chloroperbenzoic acid, peracetic acid, potassium metaperiodate, [0042] potassium hydrogen persulfate (Oxon), hydrogen peroxide, etc. The amount of the oxidant may be properly selected in the range of 0.5 to 3 equivalents per equivalent of the phthalic acid diamide derivative of the general formula (I-2).

As to the reaction temperature, the reaction can be carried out in a temperature range of -50°C to the boiling temperature zone of the inert solvent used. Though the reaction time is varied depending on the reaction temperature and scale of the reaction, it is in the range of several minutes to 24 hours.

After completion of the reaction, the desired compound is isolated from the reaction solution containing the [0044] desired compound by a conventional method and, if necessary, purified by recrystallization, column chromatography, etc., whereby the desired compound can be produced.

Next, typical phthalamide derivatives of the general formula (I) are exemplified in Tables 1, 2 and 3. The present invention is by no means limited by these examples.

General formula (I)

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(O)n

(I)
$$T^{1} = -A^{1}-S-R^{1}$$

(O)n

(T) $T^{1} = -A^{1}-S-R^{1}$

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Table 1 $(R^2=R^3=H)$

	No	L,	(X) ((Y) m	Property mp (°C)
	1	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	179-180
	2	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ S-i-C ₃ H ₇	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	Paste
	3	CH(CH3)CH2SCH3	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-0CF ₃	147
	4	CH(CH3)CH2SCH3	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-0CHF ₂	107
	5	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ S-i-C ₃ H ₇	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	126
	6	CH(CH₃)CH₂SCH₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	197-199
	7	CH(CH3)CH2SCH3	3-I	2-C1-4-C2F5	143
	8	CH(CH3)CH2SCH3	3-1	4-0CF ₃	171-178
	9	CH (CH3) CH2SCH3	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-Cl	179
	10	CH (CH3) CH2SCH3	3-F	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	146-154
	11	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-F	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	140
	12	CH (CH₃) CH₂SCH₃	3-F	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	122-130
	13	CH(CH3)CH2SCH3	3-F	2-CH ₃ -4-OCHF ₂	149-154
	14	CH(CH₃)CH₂SCH₃	H	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	139-146
	15	CH(CH₃)CH₂SCH₃	H	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	140-144
	16	CH(CH₃)CH₂SCH₃	H	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	139-145
	17	CH (CH₃) CH₂SPh	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	Paste
	18	CH (CH3) CH2SPh	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	Paste
	19	CH(CH₃)CH₂SPh	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	Paste
!	20	CH(CH3)CH2SPh	3-1	2-C ₂ H ₅ -4-C ₂ F ₅	Paste
	21	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₅	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	Paste
	22	CH(CH3)CH2SC2H5	1-8	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	107
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Table 1 (Continued)

No	T'	(X) I	(Y) m	Property mp (°C)
23	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₅	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-0CF ₃	143
24	CH (CH3) CH2SC2H5	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-Cl	161-166
25	CH (CH3) CH2SC2H5	3-F	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	142
26	CH (CH3) CH2SC2H5	3-F	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	Paste
27	CH(CH₃)CH₂SC₂H₅	3-F	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	142-147
28	CH (CH₃) CH₂SOCH₃	1-8	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	94
29	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	100
30	CH(CH3)CH2SOCH3	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	82
31	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	134
32	CH (CH3) CH2SCH3	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-SCF ₃	194-195
33	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ S-i-C ₄ H ₉	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	164-172
34	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ S-i-C ₄ H ₉	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	159-160
35	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ S-i-C ₄ H ₉	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	155-159
36	CH (CH ₂ SCH ₃) ₂	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	145
37	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	3, 4-Cl ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	197-199
38	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	5,6-Cl ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	213-214
39	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	3, 4-Cl ₂	2-CH3-4-CzF5	221-222
40	CH (CH3) CH2SCH3	5,6-Cl ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	199-200
41	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	3,4-Cl ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	215-216
42	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	5,6-Cl ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	220-221
43	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₃	4-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	178-179
44	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	3, 4-F ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	175-176
	23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43	23 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₅ 24 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₆ 25 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₆ 26 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₅ 27 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₅ 28 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SOCH ₃ 29 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SOCH ₃ 30 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SOCH ₃ 31 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SOCH ₃ 32 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SOCH ₃ 33 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 34 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 35 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ S-i-C ₄ H ₉ 36 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ S-i-C ₄ H ₉ 36 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ S-i-C ₄ H ₉ 37 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 38 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 40 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 41 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 42 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 43 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 44 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 45 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 46 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 47 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 48 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 49 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 40 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	23 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₅ 3-I 24 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₆ 3-I 25 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₆ 3-F 26 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₅ 3-F 27 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₅ 3-F 28 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₅ 3-F 29 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ SOCH ₃ 3-I 30 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ SOCH ₃ 3-I 31 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ SOCH ₃ 3-I 32 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃ 3-I 33 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ SC ₂ CH ₃ 3-I 34 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ SC ₁ -C ₄ H ₉ 3-I 35 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ S-i-C ₄ H ₉ 3-I 36 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ S-i-C ₄ H ₉ 3-I 37 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 3-I 37 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 3.4-Cl ₂ 38 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 3.4-Cl ₂ 40 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 5.6-Cl ₂ 41 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 5.6-Cl ₂ 42 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 5.6-Cl ₂ 43 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 5.6-Cl ₂ 44 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 5.6-Cl ₂ 45 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 5.6-Cl ₂ 46 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 5.6-Cl ₂ 47 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 5.6-Cl ₂ 48 CH(CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 5.6-Cl ₂	23 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₅ 3-I 2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃ 24 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₆ 3-I 2-CH ₃ -4-CI 25 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₅ 3-F 2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅ 26 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₅ 3-F 2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₆ 27 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SOC ₃ H ₅ 3-F 2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₆ 28 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SOCH ₃ 3-I 2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₆ 29 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SOCH ₃ 3-I 2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₆ 30 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SOCH ₃ 3-I 2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇ 31 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SOCH ₃ 3-I 2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇ 32 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 3-I 2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇ 32 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 3-I 2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇ 34 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ S-i-C ₄ H ₉ 3-I 2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇ 35 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ S-i-C ₄ H ₉ 3-I 2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₆ 36 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCi-C ₄ H ₉ 3-I 2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃ 37 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 3, 4-Cl ₂ 2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃ 38 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 3, 4-Cl ₂ 2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃ 40 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 5, 6-Cl ₂ 2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃ 41 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 5, 6-Cl ₂ 2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₆ 42 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 5, 6-Cl ₂ 2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇ 42 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 5, 6-Cl ₂ 2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇ 42 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 5, 6-Cl ₂ 2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇ 42 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 5, 6-Cl ₂ 2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇ 42 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 5, 6-Cl ₂ 2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇ 43 CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃ 5, 6-Cl ₂ 2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇

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No	L1	(X) I	(Y) n	Property mp (°C)
45	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₃	4.5-F ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	118-120
46	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-0C-	196-197
			$(C_2F_5) = C(CF_3)_2$	
47	CH(CH3)CH2SCH3	3-1	2-C1-4-OCF ₂ -CHFO-5	198
48	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-C1-4-OCHF-CF ₂ 0-5	192
49	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-I	2-0CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	170
50	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-I	2-C ₂ H ₅ -4-C ₂ F ₅	125
51	(CH ₂) ₂ SCH ₃	6-I	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	130-133
52	(CH₂)₂SCH₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	145-150
53	(CH ₂) ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	Amorphous
54	(CH ₂) ₂ SCH ₃	1-8	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	Amorphous
55	(CH ₂)₃SCH₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	144-147
56	(CH ₂) ₃ SCH ₃	1-6	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	165-168
57	(CH₂)₃SCH₃	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	156-159
58	$(CH_z)_2S-i-C_3H_7$	1-8	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	189-192
59	$(CH_2)_2S-i-C_3H_7$	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	153-155
60	(CH ₂) ₂ S-i-C ₃ H ₇	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	158-160
61	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ S-2-Pyi	1-8	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₈	Amorphous
62	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ S-2-Pyi	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	140-142
63	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ S-n-C ₄ H ₉	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	137-139
64	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ S-n-C ₄ H ₉	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	Amorphous
65	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-C1-4-i-C ₃ F ₇	190

Table 1 (Continued)

No	τ.	(X) I	(Y) m	Property mp (°C)
66	CH(CH₃)CH₂SCH₃	3-I	2-C ₂ H ₅ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	205
67	CH(CH ₂ SCH ₃) ₂	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	181
68	CH(CH ₂ SCH ₃) ₂	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-0CF ₂ CHF ₂	169-176
69	CH(CH ₂ SCH ₃) ₂	1-8	2-CH ₃ -4-0CF ₃	131-139
70	CH(CH2SCH3)2	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-0CHF ₂	142
71	(CH ₂) ₂ SC ₂ H ₅	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-0CF ₃	157-161
72	(CH ₂) ₂ SC ₂ H ₅	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₈	152-155
73	(CH ₂) ₂ SC ₂ H ₅	1-E	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	159-162
74	CH (CH3) CH2S-2-Pyi	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-0CF ₃	203
75	CH (CH3) CH2SO-2-Pyi	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	110-111
76	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SO ₂ -2-Pyi	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	99-100
77	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ S-n-C ₆ H ₁₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-0CF ₃	Amorphous
. 78	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ S-n-C ₆ H ₁₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	152-153
79	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	201-202
80	CH (CH3) CH2SCH3	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-0CF ₃	195
81	CH (CH3) CH2 SCH3	3-Br	2-CH3-4-C2F5	194-195
82	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ S-c-C ₆ H ₁ ,	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-0CF ₃	166-167
83	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ S-t-C ₄ H ₉	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-0CF ₃	188-189
84	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ S-t-C ₄ H ₉	3-1	2-CH3-4-C2F5	183-184
85	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ S-c-C ₆ H ₁ ,	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	102-103
86	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ S-c-C ₆ H ₁	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	95-96
87	CH (CH₃) CH₂SOCH₃	3-Вг	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	212-213

Table 1 (Continued)

No	Ţ,	(X) I	(Y) m	Property mp (°C)
88	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	93
89	CH (Ph) CH2SCH3	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	168-170
90	CH (Ph) CH2SCH3	3-i	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	157-159
91	CH (Ph) CH₂SCH₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	178-180
92	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₃ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	160-161
93	CH (CH ₃) (CH ₂) ₃ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	147-149
94	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₃ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	183-185
95	CH(CH₃)CH₂SOCH₃	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	90
96	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	95
97	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	153-155
98	CH (CH₃) CH₂SCH₃	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	188-189
99	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	202-203
100	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-CI	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	104-105
101	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	155-156
102	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-1	2-C1-4-OCHFCF ₂ 0-5	198
103	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-1	2-C1-4-OCF2CHF0-5	195
104	CH(CH3)CH2SCH3	3-NO ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	181
105	CH (CH3) CH2SCH3	3-NO ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	190-193
106	CH (CH3) CH2SCH3	3-NO ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	219
107	CH (CH3) CH2SCH3	4-i	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	179
108	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	4-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	204
109	CH (CH₃) CH₂SCH₃	4-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	169-176

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No	T'	(X) I		(Y) m	Property mp (°C)
110	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	5-1	2-	CH ₃ -4-0CF ₃	127-128
111	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	5-I	2-	-CH3-4-C2F5	143
112	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	1-2	2-	-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	189
113	CH(CH₃)CH₂SCH₃	3-C1	2-	-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₆	189-190
114	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-C1	2-	-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	84-87
115	CH(CH₃)CH₂SCH₃	6-C1	2-	-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	102-103
116	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	6-C1	2-	-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	233-234
117	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ S-t-C ₄ H ₉	3-I	2-	-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	252-256
118	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SO ₂ -2-Pyi	3-1	2-	-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	95-100
119	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SO ₂ -2-Pyi	3-1	2-	-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	92-93
120	CH(C ₂ H ₅)CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-	-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	190
121	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-	-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	194-196
122	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-	-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	205-206
123	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-1	2-	-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	88-90
124	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-1	2-	-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	88-90
125	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-1	2.	-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	74-76
126	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-1	2	-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	90-95
127	CH(C ₂ H ₅) (CH ₂) ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅		170
128	CH(C ₂ H ₅) (CH ₂) ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-0CF ₃		175
129	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-SCF ₃	3-SCF ₃ 2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅		201-203
130	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-SCF ₃	4	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	176-178
131	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-SOCF		2-CH3-4-C2F5	183-185

Table 1 (Continued)

No	Ţ'	(X) I	(Y) m	Property mp (°C)
132	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-S0CF ₃	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	154
133	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₃ SOCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₆	135
134	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₃ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	163
135	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₃ SOCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	172-175
136	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₃ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	204
137	CH (Ph) CH2SOCH3	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	142
138	CH(Ph)CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	203
139	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SO ₂ -t-C ₄ H ₉	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	90-92
140	C (CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	172-173
141	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	146-147
142	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	86-88
143	CH(CH3)CH2SOCH3	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	199-200
144	CH(CH3)CH2SOCH3	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	152-155
145	CH(CH3)CH2SCH3	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-s-C ₄ F ₉	120
146	CH (CH3) CH2SCH3	1-6	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	210
			-5 - F	
147	CH(CH3)CH2SCH3	3-C1-4-F	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	188-190
148	CH(CH₃) CH₂SCH₃	3-C1-4-F	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	203-204
149	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-C1-4-F	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	226-227
150	CH(CH ₃) (CH ₂) ₃ SCH ₃	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	124
151	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₃ SCH ₃	6-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	Paste
152	CH(CH ₃) (CH ₂) ₃ SOCH ₃	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	150

Table 1 (Continued)

	No	T	(X) I	(Y) m	Property mp (°C)
	153	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₃ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	117
	154	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₃ SCH ₃	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	125
	155	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₃ SCH ₃	6-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	Paste
	156	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₃ S0 ₂ CH ₃	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	115
	157	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-CF ₃	187
i	158	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-0CH ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	110
i			-0-4		
	159	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₂ SCH ₃	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	167-169
	160	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₂ SCH ₃	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₆	169-171
	161	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₂ SCH ₃	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	183-184
	162	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	192-194
	163	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	200-201
	164	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₂ SCH ₃	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-0CF ₃	193-194
	165	CH(CH ₃)CH(CH ₃)SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	120
	166	CH(CH ₃)CH(CH ₃)SO ₂ CH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	130
	167	CH(CH ₃) CH(CH ₃) SC ₂ H ₅	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	105
	168	CH(CH ₃)CH(CH ₃)SO ₂ C ₂ H ₅	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	105
	169	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	199-200
	170	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	200-201
	171	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	86
	172	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	90
	173	CH(CH₃) (CH₂)₄SCH₃	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	156

Table 1 (Continued)

No	Ţ'	(X) I	(Y) m	Property mp (°C)
174	CH(CH₃) (CH₂)₄SCH₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	174
175	CH(CH ₃) (CH ₂) ₄ SC ₂ H ₅	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	147
176	CH(CH ₃) (CH ₂) 4SC ₂ H ₅	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	168
177	CH(CH ₃) (CH ₂) ₄ SOC ₂ H ₅	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	115
178	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₄ SOC ₂ H ₅	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	120
179	CH(CH ₃) (CH ₂) ₄ SO ₂ C ₂ H ₅	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	131
180	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₄ SO ₂ C ₂ H ₅	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	145
181	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	90-93
182	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	212-213
183	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₅	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	160-162
184	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOC ₂ H ₅	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	78-82
185	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₅	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	132-134
186	$C(CH_3)_2CH_2SO_2C_2H_5$	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	68
187	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₅	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-1-C ₃ F ₇	169-170
188	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ S(CH ₂) ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	169-171
189	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ S(CH ₂) ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	135-137
190	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ S(CH ₂) ₂ SCH ₃	1-6	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	159-161
191	CH(CH3)CH2SCH3	3-502	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	205-206
192	CH(CH₃)CH₂SCH₃	-CH ₃ 6-SO ₂ -CH ₃	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	210-212

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No	T '	(X) I	(Y) m	Property mp (°C)
193	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3, 4 -Cl ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	198-201
194	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3, 4 -Cl ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	165-167
195	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂)₂SOCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	123-125
196	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	128-130
197	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₄ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	145
198	CH (CH ₃) (CH ₂) 4SO ₂ CH ₃	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	160
199	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₃ SC ₂ H ₅	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	143
200	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₃ SO ₂ C ₂ H ₅	1-6	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	117
201	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₃ SC ₂ H ₅	3-I	2-CH3-4-i-C3F7	150
202	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₃ SOC ₂ H ₅	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	106
203	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₃ SO ₂ C ₂ H ₅	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	117
204	Q١	3-1	2-CH3-4-i-C3F7	202
205	Q ²	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	249
206	CH(CH3)CH2SCH2CH=CH2	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	168-175
207	CH₂CH(CH₃)SC₂H₅	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	150
208	CH2CH(CH3)SO2C2H5	1-8	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	130
209	CH₂CH(CH₃)SC₂H₅	6-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	155
210	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-0CF ₃	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	184-185
211	CH(CH ₃) (CH ₂) ₂ SOCH ₃	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	Amorphous
212	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	108-111

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No	T'	(X) I	(Y) m	Property mp (°C)
213	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₃ SC ₂ H ₅	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	151
214	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₃ SOC ₂ H ₆	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	159
215	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₃ SO ₂ C ₂ H ₅	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	150
216	(S)-C°H(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	212-214
217	(R)-C°H(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₃	1-2	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	214-216
218	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOC ₂ H ₅	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	107-110
219	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ S-n-C ₃ H ₇	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	169-170
220	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO-n-C ₃ H ₇	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	88-90
221	$C(CH_3)_2CH_2SO_2-n-C_3H_7$	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	88-90
222	CH (CH₃) CH₂SCH₃	3-C1-4	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	122-125
		-0CH ₃		
223	CH(CH₃)CH₂SCH₃	3-N0 ₂	2-CH ₃ -4	218
			-OCF ₂ CHFCF ₃	
224	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-NO ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-0-(3-	188
			C1-5-CF ₃ -2-Pyi	
225	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	1-6	2-C1-4-0CF ₃	166
226	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-1	2-Cl-4-0CF ₃	141
227	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-Br	2-C1-4-0CF3	160
228	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-Br	2-C1-4-0CF ₃	133
229	$C(CH_3)_2(CH_2)_3SCH_3$	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	164
230	C(CH ₃) ₂ (CH ₂) ₂ SCH ₃	1-6	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	108

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5	No	Ţ,	(X) I	(Y) m	Property mp (°C)
10	231	C (CH ₃) ₂ (CH ₂) ₂ CH (CH ₃)	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	151
	ļ	-SCH ₃			
15	232	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-Br	2-C1-4-0CF ₃	132
	233	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-C1-4-0CF ₃	172
	234	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-I	2-C1-4-0CF ₃	168
20	235	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SC ₃ H ₇ -n	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	162-163
	236	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SC ₃ H ₇ -n	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	149-150
25	237	$C(CH_3)_2CH_2SO_2C_3H_7-n$	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	176-180
	238	$C(CH_3)_2CH_2SO_2C_3H_7-n$	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	202-203
	239	CH2CH(CH3)SCH3	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	200
30	240	CH2CH(CH3)SO2CH3	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	130
	241	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-0CF ₃	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	226-228
	242	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₅	3-1	2-C1-4-0CF ₃	163
35	243	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3, 4-Cl ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	138-139
	244	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3, 4-Cl ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	146-148
40	245	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-CF ₃	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	209
	246	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	110-112
	247	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₅	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	188-189
45	248	$C(CH_3)_2CH_2SO_2C_2H_5$	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	120-122
	249	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOC ₂ H ₅	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₆	125-126
50	250	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ C ₂ H ₅	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-0CF ₃ 1	25(Rf=great)
50	251	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ C ₂ H ₅	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-0CF ₃ 1	46(Rf=small)
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5	No	T'	(X) [(Y) m	Property mp (°C)
10	252	C (CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-0CH ₂ 0-4	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	220
	253	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-0CF ₃	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	220
15	254	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-CF ₃	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	223
	255	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-CF ₃	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	199-201
	256	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₂ SC ₂ H ₅	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	110-113
20	257	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₂ SC ₂ H ₅	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	173-174
	258	Q⁵	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	183
25	259	Q _e	1-6	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	149
	260	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SOC ₂ H ₅	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	96
	261	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SO ₂ C ₂ H ₅	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	98
30	262	CH(CH3)CH2SC2H5	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	155
	263	CH(CH3)CH2SOC2H5	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	96
	264	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SO ₂ C ₂ H ₅	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	135
35	265	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₅	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	145
	266	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SOC ₂ H ₅	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	92
10	267	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SO ₂ C ₂ H ₅	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	135
	268	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-CF ₃	170-172
	269	$CH(CH_3)(CH_2)_2SOC_2H_5$	1-8	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	132-134
15	270	$CH\left(CH_3\right)\left(CH_2\right){}_2SO{}_2C{}_2H_{S}$	1-8	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	108-110
	271	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SC ₃ H ₇ -n	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	174
70	272	$C(CH_3)_2(CH_2)_2SC_2H_5$	1-8	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	171
50	273	Q ⁷	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	184

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No	T'	(X) I	(Y) m	Property mp (°C)
274	CH(CH ₃)(CH ₂) ₂ SOC ₂ H ₅	3-C i	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	128-130
275	$CH(CH_3)(CH_2)_2SO_2C_2H_6$	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	105-106
276	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-CF ₃	158-160
277	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-CF ₃	118-120
278	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-0CF ₂ 0-4	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	182
279	CH(CH3)CH2S-Pyi	1-8	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	126
280	$C(CH_3)_2(CH_2)_3SC_2H_5$	1-6	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	170
281	C(CH ₃) ₂ (CH ₂) ₃ SCH ₃	3-Br, 6-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	111
				Mixture
282	C(CH ₃) ₂ (CH ₂) ₃ SC ₂ H ₅	3-Br.6-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	121
	•			Mixture
283	CH (CH3) CH2SO2CH3	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-CF ₃	179-181
284	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-CF ₃	196-198
285	CH (CH3) CH2SCH2CF3	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	216
286	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ S (CH ₂) ₂	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	158-159
	-0C0CF ₃			
287	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ S-C ₃ H ₇ -n	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	111
288	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-0CF ₂ 0-4	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	196
289	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-0CF ₂ 0-4	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	223
290	CH(CH₃)CH₂SCH₃	3-0CF ₂ 0-4	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	191
291	CH(CH₃) CH₂SOCH₃	3-0CF ₂ 0-4	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	187
292	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-0CF ₂ 0-4	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	205

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	No	T'	(X) I	(Y) m	Property mp (°C)
	293	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-0CF ₂ 0-4	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	218
	294	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SOCH ₂ CF ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	207-209
	295	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₂ CF ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	220-222
	296	CH (CH3) CH2S (CH2) 20H	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	157-159
	297	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ S(CH ₂) ₂	1-6	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	165-167
		-0C ₂ H ₅			
	298	·CH ₂ SCH ₃	Н	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	157-159
Į	299	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ S-2-(3,5	1-8	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	147-149
		$-(CH_3)_2-Pym)$			
	300	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SO-2-(3, 5	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	126-128
		$-(CH_3)_2-Pym)$			
	301	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SO ₂ -2-(3, 5	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	134-136
		-(CH ₃) ₂ -Pym)			
	302	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SC(=S)	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	Paste
		-N (CH ₃) ₂			
	303	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-I	2-CH ₃ -3-C ₂ F ₅	223-225
	304	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-I	2-CH ₃ -5-C ₂ F ₅	215-218
	305	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-CF ₃	179-181
	306	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-CF ₃	176-177
	307	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-CF ₃	184-186
	308	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-N=C(t-	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	113
		-	C ₄ H ₉)0-4		
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	No	T'	(X) l	(Y) m	Property mp (°C)
	309	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₅	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-CF ₃	193-194
	310	C (CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-CF ₃	174-175
	311	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-CF ₃	85-88
	312	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-CF ₃	151-153
	313	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-CF ₃	102-104
	314	$C(CH_3)_2CH_2SO_2CH_3$	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-CF ₃	153-155
	315	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ S (CH ₂) ₂	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	154-155
		-OCH ₃			
	316	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ S (CH ₂) ₂	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	160-162
		-CO ₂ CH ₃			
	317	CH (CH3) CH2SO (CH2) 2	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	116-118
		-0C ₂ H ₅			
	318	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SO ₂ (CH ₂) ₂	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	138-140
		-0C ₂ H ₆			
	319	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ S-Bz t	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	179-181
	320	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	Crystal
	321	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-Вг	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	178
	322	C (CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-NO ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	189
	323	C (CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-NO ₂	2-C1-4-CH3	204
ŀ	324	C (CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-NO ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-Br	208
	325	C (CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-NO ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	234
	326	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-NO ₂	2,4-Cl ₂	178

Table 1 (Continued)

No	T'	(X) 1	(Y) m	Property mp (°C)
327	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-N0 ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	l 43
328	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-N0 ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	197
329	Q ⁸	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	183
330	CH(CH₃)CH₂SOCH₃	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	118
331	(CH₂) ₂SH	Н	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	170
332	CH(CH3)CH2SCH3	4-CH=CH-CH	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	158
		=CH-5		
333	CH(CH3)CH2SCH3	3-СН=СН-СН	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	194
		=CH-4		
334	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-СН=СН-СН	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	115
	*	=CH-4		
335	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-СН=СН-СН	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	121
		=CH-4		
336	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-СН=СН-СН	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	186
		=CH-4		
337	CH(CH3)CH2SCH3	3-Br	2-C1-4-OCF ₃	155
338	CH(CH₃)CH₂SOCH₃	3-Вг	2-C1-4-OCF ₃	174
339	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-Вг	2-C1-4-0CF ₃	164
340	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SO(CH ₂) ₂	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	90-93
	-0CH ₃			
341	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SO ₂ (CH ₂) ₂	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	177-178
	-0CH ₃			

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Table 1 (Continued)

No	Т'	1 (X)	(Y) m	Property mp (°C)
342	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SO (CH ₂) ₂	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	144-147
343	$-CO_2CH_3$ $CH(CH_3)CH_2SO_2(CH_2)_2$ $-CO_2CH_3$	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	201-202
344	CH (CH3) CH2SO-2-Bz t	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	133-135
345	CH (CH3) CH2SO2-2-Bz t	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	147-149
346	CH(CH3)CH2SC2H5	3-0CF ₃	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	189-190
347	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₅	5-0CF ₃	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	190-192
348	CH(CH₃)CH₂SCH₃	3-CF ₃	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	220-221
349	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SC ₂ H ₅	3-CF ₃	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	200-202
350	(CH2)2SC (=S) NHC2H5	Н	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	129
351	CH(CH3)CH2SCH3	3-0CF2CF20	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	216
		-4		
352	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ S-2-Thz	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	180
353	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ S-2-(5-CH ₃	1-8	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	122-124
	-1, 3, 4-Thd)			!
354	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ S-2-(5-CH ₃	6-I	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	148-150
	-1,3,4-Thd)			
355	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-0CF ₃	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	208-209
356	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	5-0CF ₃	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	225
357	CH(CH3)CH2SO2C2H5	3-0CF ₃	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	219-220
358	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-CF ₃	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	159-161

Table 1 (Continued)

No	Ţ!	(X) I	(Y) m	Property mp (°C)
359	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SO ₂ C ₂ H ₅	3-CF ₃	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	218-219
360	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-0CF ₃	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	168-170
361	CH (CH3) CH2SCH2CO	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	130-131
	-N(C ₂ H ₅) ₂			
362	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SOCH ₂ CO	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	95-98
	-N(C ₂ H ₅) ₂			
363	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₂ CO	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	197-199
	-N(C ₂ H ₆) ₂			
364	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SO ₂ -2-Thz	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	153-155
365	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-I	2-CH ₂ OH	188-191
			-4-i-C ₃ F ₇	
366	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-I	2-CH ₃ -3-F	218-221
			-4-i-C ₃ F ₇	
367	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	1-8	2-CH ₃ -4-n-C ₄ F ₉	170-174
368	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	1-8	2-CH3	203-207
			-4-Si(CH ₃) ₃	
369	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-C1	2-C1-4-0CF ₃	154
370	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-C1	2-C1-4-0CF ₃	73
371	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-C1	2-C1-4-0CF ₃	149
372	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-C1-4-CH ₃	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	189
373	C (CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-N0 ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	218
374	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-NO ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₆	194

Table 1 (Continued)

			,	
No	Ţ'	(X) I	(Y) m	Property mp (°C)
375	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-N0 ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	210
376	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-N0 ₂	2-C1-4-0CF ₃	181
377	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-N0 ₂	2-C1-4-0CF ₃	185
378	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-N0 ₂	2-C1-4-0CF ₃	186
379	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-C1-4-CH ₃	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	158-159
380	CH (CH3) CH2SCH3	3-C1	2-C1-4-0CF ₃	164
381	CH(CH₃)CH₂SOCH₃	3-C1	2-C1-4-0CF3	172
382	CH(CH₃)CH₂SO₂CH₃	3-C1	2-C1-4-0CF3	153
383	CH(CH₃)CH₂SSCH₃	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	92
384	CH(CH₃)CH₂SS	3-C1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	91
	-(2-NO ₂ -Ph)			
385	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-F	2-C1-4-OCF ₃	148
386	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-F	2-C1-4-OCF3	102
387	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-F	2-C1-4-OCF3	163
388	CH(CH₃)CH₂SOCH₃	3-NO ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	218
389	CH(CH₃)CH₂SOCH₃	3-N0 ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	218
390	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-NO ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-CF ₃	243
391	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-N0 ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	210
392	CH (CH₃) CH₂SH	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	226
393	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₂	192-193
			-CHFOCF ₃	
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Table 1 (Continued)

5	No	. T1	(X) I	(Y) m	Property mp (°C)
10	394	CH(CH₃) CH₂SOCH₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₂	206-208
15	395	CH(CH₃)CH₂SO₂CH₃	3-1	-CHFOCF ₃ 2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₂ -CHFOCF ₃	166-167
20	396	CH(CH₃)CH₂SCH₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₂	175-176
	397	CH (CH₃) CH₂SCH₃	3-1	-CHFOC ₃ F ₇ -n 2-CH ₃ -4-0-(3-C1	195-197
25	398	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	-5-CF ₃ -2-Pyi) 2-CH ₃ -4-0-(3-C1	180-181
30	399	C (CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SC ₃ H ₇ -i	3-1	-5-CF ₃ -2-Pyi) 2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	85-88
	400	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SC ₄ H ₉ -t	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	95-98
35	401	$C(CH_3)_2CH_2SOC_4H_9-t$	1-8	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	100-104
	402 403	C (CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOC ₃ H ₇ -i	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	100-104
40	403	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ S-2-Pyi CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ S0-2-Pyi	3-Br 3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇ 2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	93 137
	405	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SO ₂ -2-Pyi	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	96
	406	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-0-(3-Cl	105-108
45				-5-CF ₃ -2-Pyi)	
50	407	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-0-(3-C1 -5-CF ₃ -2-Pyi)	135-136

Table 1 (Continued)

5	No	T¹	(X) I	(Y) m	Property mp (°C)
10	408	CH(CH₃)CH₂SOCH₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₂ -CHFOC ₃ F ₇ -n	179-181
15	409	CH (CH₃) CH₂SO₂CH₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₂ -CHFOC ₃ F ₇ -n	196-198
20	410	CH(CH₃)CH₂SOCH₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-0-(3-Cl -5-CF ₃ -2-Pyi)	176-179
	411	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	1-8	2-CH ₃ -4-0-(3-Cl -5-CF ₃ -2-Pyi)	199-201
25	412	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -3-F-4-i-C ₃ F ₇	120-125
	413	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-I	2-CH ₃ -3-F-4-i-C ₃ F ₇	206-210
30	414	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-Br	2-C ₂ H ₅ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	175
	415	CH (CH₃) CH₂SCH₃	3-Br	2-C1-4-C ₂ F ₅	180
	416	CH(CH3)CH2SCH3	3-Br	3-i-C ₃ H ₇	135
35	417	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-0SO ₂ CF ₃	187
	418	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	6-1	2-CH ₃ -4-0S0 ₂ CF ₃	Decom- posed
40	419	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-0S0 ₂ CF ₃	Amorphous
	420	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₂	170-172
				-CHFOC ₃ F ₇ -n	
45	421	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-0CF ₂	68-75
				-CHFOC ₃ F ₇ -n	
50	422	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₂	170-172
50				-CHFOC ₃ F ₇ -n	
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Table 1 (Continued)

No	T1 -	(X) I	(Y) m	Property mp (°C)
423	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SC ₃ H ₇ -i	3-Br	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	162-163
424	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ C ₃ H ₇ -i	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	70-75
425	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SC (=S) NH	1-6	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	142
	-CH ₃			
426	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SC (=S) NH	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	123
Ì	-C ₂ H ₅			
427	CH (CH ₃) CH ₂ SCONHC ₂ H ₅	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	178
428	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCOCH ₃	1-6	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	117
429	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₂ C≡CH	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	111
430	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₂	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	140
	-(2, 4-Cl ₂ -Ph)			
431	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ S° OCH ₃	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	Amorphous
	(-)isomer		[(x]=-20.4
432	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ S* OCH ₃	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	Amorphous
	(+)isomer		[(x]=20.6
433	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	3-CF ₂ 0CF ₂ 0-4	205
434	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-C1-3-CF ₂ OCF ₂ O-4	173
435	C(CH ₃)₂CH₂SCH ₃	3-1	2-C ₂ H ₅ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	188
436	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-1	2-C ₂ H ₅ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	125
437	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-1	2-C ₂ H ₅ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	166-167
438	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ S-Ph	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	167-168
439	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO-Ph	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	107

Table 1 (Continued)

Ио	T'	(X) I	(Y) m	Property mp (°C)
440	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ -Ph	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	200

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Table 1 (Continued)

5	No	יז	(X)1	(Y)m	Property mp (°C)
10	441	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ S-2-Pyi	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	120-122
15	442	C(CH₃)₂CH₂SO- 2-Pyi	1-8	2-CH3-4-i-C3F7	90-95
20	443	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ - 2-Pyi	3-1	2-CH3-4-i-C3F1	138
	444	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ - 2-Pyi	6-l	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	219
25	445 446	0:1 6:0	3-I 3-[2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇ 2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	212-213 193-213
30	447	Q12	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	203-205
<i>35</i>	448 449 450	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃ C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃ C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-I 3-I 3-I	2-C1-4-i-C ₃ F ₇ 2-C1-4-i-C ₃ F ₇ 2-C1-4-i-C ₃ F ₇	184 102-105 200-201
	451	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₂ -	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	163-164
40	452	(4-C1-Ph) CH(CH ₂ OH)(CH ₂) ₂ S-	3- I	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	102
4 5	453	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-(4-Cl-Ph)	172
	454 455	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃ C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1 3-N0 ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-(4-Cl-Ph) 2-CH ₃ -4-S(2-Cl-Ph)	128 188
50	456	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-NO ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-S(3-C1-Ph)	181

Table 1 (Continued)

No	T'	(X) l	(Y)m	Property mp (°C)
457	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-NO ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-S(4-Cl-Ph)	201
458	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-S(2-C1-Ph)	159
459	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-S(3-C1-Ph)	156
460	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-S(3-C1-Ph)	156
461	CH(CH₃)CH₂SCON-	3-I	2-CH3-4-i-C3F7	117
	(CH ₃) ₂	0		
462	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCON-	3-I	2-CH3-4-i-C3F7	75
	(C ₂ H ₅) ₂			
463	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₂ CO-	1-8	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	. 86
	CH ₃			
464	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ CH-	178
			$(CH_3)_2-4-i-C_3F_7$	
465	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-I	2-CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ CH-	100-105
			$(CH_3)_2-4-i-C_3F_7$	
466	C(CH ₂) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-1	2-CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ CH-	157-158
			$(CH_3)_2-4-i-C_3F_7$	
467	(S)-C* H(CH ₃)CH ₂ S	3-1	2-CH3-4-i-C3F7	197
	-C ₂ H ₅			
468	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	1-8	2-CH ₃ -4-(CO-(4-	138
:	·		CH ₃ -Ph))	
469	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-(CO-(4-	171
			C1-Ph))	

Table 1 (Continued)

5					Property
	No	T'	(X)1	(Y)m	mp (°C)
10	470	C(CH₃)₂CH₂SCH₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-(C(=NOCH ₃)	Paste
15	471	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	-(4-C1-Ph)) 2-CH ₃ -4-CH ₂ (4-C1-	162
20	472	C(CH ₂) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	Ph) 2-CH ₃ -4-CH(OH)(4-	Paste ·
	473	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	C1-Ph) 2-CH ₃ -4-0(4-C1-Ph)	179
25	474	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-0(3-C1-Ph)	170
	475	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-0(3-CN-Ph)	176
30	476	CH(CH₃)CH₂SCH₃	3-0(3- CF ₃ -Ph)	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	169-170
35	477	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₃	6-0(3- CF ₃ -Ph)	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	167-169
	478	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	4-S0 ₂ N(C ₂ H ₅) ₂	207-208
40	479	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH3-4-(CONH(4-C1-	236
	480	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH3-4-(CON(CH3)-	149
45			_	(4-C1-Ph))	
	481	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH3-4-C(CF3)2OCH3	195-196
50	482	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-1	2-CH3-4-C(CF3)2OCH3	178-180
	483	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	1-8	2-CH3-4-C(CF3)2OCH3	205-206

Table 1 (Continued)

No	T'	(X)1	(Y)m	Property mp (°C)
484	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH3-4-C(CF3)2- OCH2-Ph	149-151
	0 (011) 011 0011	Н	4-CF ₃	185-188
485	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃		2-CH ₃ -4-C(CF ₃) ₂ OH	143-145
486	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1		207-209
487	C(CH ₂) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	4-NHSO ₂ CF ₃	
488	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SOCH ₃	Н	4-CF ₃	226-227
489	CH(CH ₃)CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	Н	4-CF ₃	192-194
490	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-(C(=NOH)-	112
491	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-I	(4-C1-Ph)) 2-CH ₃ -4-C(CF ₃) ₂ S- CH ₃	163-164
492	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-C(CF ₃) ₂ 0- CH ₂ Ph	150-152
493	C(CH ₂) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₂ -4-C(CF ₃) ₂ 0- CH ₂ Ph	125-126
494	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-(CON- (C ₂ H ₅) ₂)	187
495	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-(CON- (CH ₃) ₂	Amorphous
496	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-(CF ₃) ₂ 0- C ₂ H ₅	185-186
497	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3. 4-Cl ₂	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	

Table 1 (Continued)

5	No	T¹	(X)1	(Y)m	Property mp (°C)
10	498	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3. 4-Cl ₂	2-CH3-4-1-C3F7	
	499	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3. 4-Cl ₂	2-CH3-4-i-C3F7	
15	500	CH(CH2OCH3)CH2S-	3-I	2-CH3-4-i-C3F7	÷
		CH3			
	501	CH(CH2OCH3)CH2-	1-8	2-CH3-4-i-C3F7	
20		SOCH ₃			ė
	502	CH(CH2OCH3)CH2-	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	
25		SO ₂ CH ₃			
	503	CH(CF ₃)CH ₂ SCH ₃	1-8	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	
	504	CH(CH ₂ SCH ₃)CH ₂ -	1-8	2-CH3-4-i-C3F7	
30		C00CH3			
	505	CH(CH2SCH3)CH2-	3-1	2-CH3-4-i-C3F7	
35		CONHCH ₃			
35	506	CH(CH ₂ SCH ₃)CH ₂ -	3-I	2-CH3-4-i-C3F7	
		CON(CH ₃) ₂			
40	507	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ S-	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	
		C3H5-c			
	508	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO-	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	
45		C3H5-c		,	
	509	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ -	1-8	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	
50		C ₃ H ₅ -c			
-	510	δ ₁₃	1-8	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	

Table 1 (Continued)

5	No	T '	(X)1	(Y)m	Property mp (°C)
10	511	Ø1.e	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	·
	512	Q14	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	
15	513	Q15	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	
!	514	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-(4-CF ₃ -Ph)	
20	515	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-(4-CF ₃ -Ph)	
20	516	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-(4-CF ₃ -Ph)	
	517	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SCH ₃	1-8	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₂ CF ₃	
25	518	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₃	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₂ CF ₃	
	519	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-0CF ₂ CF ₃	
	520	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ S(=0)-	3-1	2-CH3-4-i-C3F7	
30		0CH₃		•	
	521	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₃ CH ₃	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	
35	522	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ -	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	
		NHCH₃			
	523	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ -	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	
40		NHC ₂ H ₅			
	524	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ -	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	
45		N(CH ₃) ₂			
	523	C(CH ₃) ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ -	3-1	2-CH3-4-i-C3F7	
		N(C ₂ H ₅) ₂			
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Table 2 (R³=H)

(X)I

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3-F

3-F

3-F

3-F

3-F

3-CI

3-F

3-F

3-F

3-F

3-F

3-F

3-F

3-CI

3-CI

(Y)m

2-CH₃-4-i-C₃F₇

2-CH₃-4-OCF₃

2-CH₃-4-OC₂F₅

Property mp (°C)

Paste

122

124

81

132-137

120-122

127-132

155-159

Paste

160-164

Paste

Paste

Paste

173

114

Refr.Index nD1.5440 (21.0°C)

Refr.Index nD1.5365 (21.0°C)

R2

n-C₃H₇

n-C₃H₇

n-C₃H₇

n-C₃H₇

 C_2H_5

 C_2H_5

CH₃

 C_2H_5

CH₃

CH₃

 C_2H_5

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 C_2H_5

 C_2H_5

C₂H₅

 C_2H_5

 C_2H_5

T¹

 $(CH_2)_2SC_2H_5$

(CH₂)₂SCH₃

(CH₂)₂SCH₃

(CH)₂SO₂CH₃

(CH₂)₂SCH₃

(CH₂)₃SCH₃

(CH₂)₂SCH₃

(CH₂)₂SOCH₃

(CH₂)₂SO₂CH₃

(CH₂)₂SOCH₃

(CH₂)₂SO₂CH₃

(CH₂)₃SOCH₃

(CH₂)₃SO₂CH₃

CH₂SCH₃

CH₂SCH₃

CH(CH₃)CH₂SCH₃

CH₂SCH₃

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General formula (1)

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$(X)1 \qquad 0 \\ C-T^2 \qquad (Y)n$ $C-N(R^3) \longrightarrow (Y)n$	(1)	$\left\langle T^2 = \right\rangle$	(0)n A ¹ -S-R ¹ -N-R ²	
C-N(R ^o)				

Table 3

	(R ² =R ³ =H)				
No	No T ² (X)I (Y)m		Property mp (°C)		
3-1	Q^3	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	163	
3-2	Q^3	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	144	
3-3	Q ⁴	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-OCF ₃	173-175	
3-4	Q ⁴	3-I	2-CH ₃ -4-C ₂ F ₅	158-160	
3-5	Q ⁴	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	186-188	
3-6	Q ₉	3-1	2-CH ₃ -4-i-C ₃ F ₇	195-197	

[0046] In Tables 1 to 3, "Ph" means phenyl group; "Pyi" means pyridyl group; "Pym" means pyrimidyl group; "Thz" means thiazolyl group; "Thd" means thiadiazolyl group; "Bzt" means benzothiazolyl group; "c-" means an alicyclic hydrocarbon group; and Q¹, Q², Q³, Q⁴, Q⁵, Q⁶, Q⁷, Q⁸, Q⁹, Q¹⁰, Q¹¹, Q¹², Q¹³, Q¹⁴, Q¹⁵ and Q¹⁶ represent the following compounds:

$$Q^{1}: Q^{2}: Q^{3}: N^{3} Q^{4}: N^{5} Q^{4}: N^{5}$$

$$Q^5: \int_{S} Q^6: \int_{S\rightarrow 0} Q^7: \int_{S} Q^8: \int_{S}$$

[0047] In Tables 1, 2 and 3, some compounds show a property of paste. The ¹H-NMR data of such compounds are shown in Table 4.

Table 4

No	¹ H-NMR[CDCl ₃ /TMS, δ value (ppm)]
2	0.8-1.4(m.9H), 2.4(s.3H), 2.5-2.8(m.3H), 4.3(m.1H), 6.2(d.1H), 7.2-7.5(m.3H), 7.8(d.1H), 8.0(d.1H), 8.4(d.1H), 8.5(s.1H).

The agrohorticultural insecticides containing the phthalamide derivative of the general formula (I) or salt [0048] thereof of the present invention as an active ingredient are suitable for controlling various insect pests such as agricultural insect pests, forest insect pests, horticultural insect pests, stored grain insect pests, sanitary insect pests, nematodes, etc., which are injurious to paddy rice, fruit trees, vegetables, other crops, flowers and ornamental plants, etc. They have a marked insecticidal effect, for example, on LEPIDOPTERA including summer fruit tortrix (Adoxophyes orana fasciata), smaller tea tortrix (Adoxophyes sp.), Manchurian fruit moth (Grapholita inopinata), oriental fruit moth (Grapholita molesta), soybean pod border (Leguminivora glycinivorella), mulberry leafroller (Olethreutes mori), tea leafroller (Caloptilia thevivora), Caloptilia sp. (Calopilia zachrysa), apple leafminer (Phyllonorycter ringoniella), pear barkminer (Spulerrina astaurota), common white (Piers rapae crucivora), tabacco budworm (Heliothis sp.) codling moth (Laspey resia pomonella), diamondback moth (Plutella xylostella), apple fruit moth (Argyresthia conjugella), peach fruit moth (Carposina niponensis), rice stem borer (Chilo suppressalis), rice leafroller (Cnaphalocrocis medinalis), tabacco moth (Ephestia elutella), mulberry pyralid (Glyphodes pyloalis), yellow rice borer (Scirpophaga incertulas), rice skipper (Parnara guttata), rice armyworm (Pseudaletia separata), pink borer (Sesamia inferens), common cutworm (Spodoptera litura), beet armyworm (Spodoptera exigua), etc.; HEMIPTERA including aster leafhopper (Macrosteles fascifrons), green rice leafhopper (Nephotettix cincticeps), brown rice planthopper (Nilaparvata lugens), whitebacked rice planthopper (Sogatella furcifera), citrus psylla (Diaphorina citri), grape whitefly (Aleurolobus taonabae), sweetpotato whitefly (Bemisia tabaci), greenhouse whitefly (Trialeurodes vaporariorum), turnip aphid (Lipaphis erysimi), green peach aphid (Myzus persicae), Indian wax scale (Ceroplastes ceriferus), cottony citrus scale (Pulvinaria aurantii), camphor scale (<u>Pseudaonidia duplex</u>), san Jose scale (<u>Comstockaspis perniciosa</u>), arrowhead scale (<u>Unaspis yanonensis</u>), etc.; TYLENCHIDA including root-lesion namatode (Pratylenchus sp.), soybean beetle (Anomala rufocuprea), Japanese beetle (Popillia japonica), tabacco beetle (Lasioderma serricorne), powderpost beetle (Lyctus brunneus), twentyeight-spotted ladybird (Epilachna vigintiotopunctata), azuki bean weevile (Callosobruchus chinensis), vegetable weevile (Listroderes costirostris), maize weevile (Sitophilus zeamais), boll weevile (Authonomus gradis gradis), rice water weevil (Lissorhoptrus oryzophilus), cucurbit leaf beetle (Aulacophora femoralis), rice leaf beetle (Oulema orvzae), striped flea beetle (Phyllotreta striolata), pine shoot beetle (Tomicus piniperda), Colorado potato beetle (Leptinotarsa decembineata), Mexican bean beetle (Epilachna varivestis), corn rootworm (Diabrotica sp.), etc.; DIPTERA including melon fly (Dacus(Zeugodacus) cucurbitae), oriental fruit fly (Dacus(Bactrocera) dorsalis), rice leafminer (Agnomyza

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oryzae), onion maggot (Delia antiqua), seedcorn maggot (Delia platura), soybean pod gall midge (Asphondylia sp.), muscid fly (Musca domestica), house mosquito (Culex pipiens pipiens), etc.; and TYLENCHIDA including coffer rootlesion nematode (Pratylenchus coffeae), potato cyst nematode (Globodera rostochiensis), root-knot nematode (Meloidogyne sp.), citrus nematode (Tylenchulus semipenetrans), Aphelenchus sp. (Aphelenchus avenae), chrysanthemum foliar (Aphelenchoides ritzemabosi), etc.

The agricultural and horticultural insecticide containing the phthalamide derivative of the general formula (I) [0049] or salt thereof of the present invention as an active ingredient has a marked insecticidal effect on the above-exemplified insect pests, sanitary insect pests, and/or nematodes, which are injurious to paddy field crops, upland crops, fruit trees, vegetables, other crops, flowers and ornament plants, and the like. Therefore, the desired effect of the agricultural and horticultural insecticide of the present invention can be obtained by applying the insecticide to paddy field; upland field; crops such as fruits, vegetables, ornament plants and the like; seeds, flowers, stalks, leaves, etc. of plants itself; environments of plant growth such as paddy field water, soil, etc. at a season at which the insect pests, sanitary pests or nematodes are expected to appear, before their appearance or at the time when their appearance is confirmed.

In general, the agricultural and horticultural insecticide of the present invention is used after being prepared into conveniently usable forms according to an ordinary manner for preparation of agrochemicals.

That is, the phthalamide derivative of the general formula (I) or salt thereof and, optionally, an adjuvant are [0051] blended with a suitable inert carrier in a proper proportion and prepared into a suitable preparation form such as a suspension, emulsifiable concentrate, soluble concentrate, wettable powder, granules, dust or tablets through dissolution, dispersion, suspension, mixing, impregnation, adsorption or sticking.

The inert carrier used in this invention may be either solid or liquid. As the solid carrier, there can be exemplified soybean flour, cereal flour, wood flour, bark flour, saw dust, powdered tobacco stalks, powdered walnut shells, bran, powdered cellulose, extraction residues of vegetables, powdered synthetic polymers or resins, clays (e.g. kaolin, bentonite, and acid day), talcs (e.g. talc and pyrophyllite), silica powders or flakes (e.g. diatomaceous earth, silica sand, mica and white carbon, i.e. synthetic, high-dispersion silicic acid, also called finely divided hydrated silica or hydrated silicic acid, some of commercially available products contain calcium silicate as the major component), activated carbon, powdered sulfur, powdered pumice, calcined diatomaceous earth, ground brick, fly ash, sand, calcium carbonate powder, calcium phosphate powder and other inorganic or mineral powders, chemical fertilizers (e.g. ammonium sulfate, ammonium phosphate, ammonium nitrate, urea and ammonium chloride), and compost. These carriers may be used alone or as a mixture thereof.

The liquid carrier is that which itself has solubility or which is without such solubility but is capable of dispersing an active ingredient with the aid of an adjuvant. The following are typical examples of the liquid carrier and can be used alone or as a mixture thereof. Water; alcohols such as methanol, ethanol, isopropanol, butanol and ethylene glycol; ketones such as acetone, methyl ethyl ketone, methyl isobutyl ketone, diisobutyl ketone and cyclohexanone; ethers such as ethyl ether, dioxane, Cellosolve, dipropyl ether and tetrahydrofuran; aliphatic hydrocarbons such as kerosene and mineral oils; aromatic hydrocarbons such as benzene, toluene, xylene, solvent naphtha and alkylnaphthalenes; halogenated hydrocarbons such as dichloroethane, chloroform, carbon tetrachloride and chlorobenzene; esters such as ethyl acetate, diisopropyl phthalate, dibutyl phthalate and dioctyl phthalate; amides such as dimethylformamide, diethylformamide and dimethylacetamide; nitriles such as acetonitrile; and dimethyl sulfoxide.

The following are typical examples of the adjuvant, which are used depending upon purposes and used alone or in combination in some cases, or need not to be used at all.

To emulsify, disperse, dissolve and/or wet an active ingredient, a surfactant is used. As the surfactant, there can be exemplified polyoxyethylene alkyl ethers, polyoxyethylene alkylaryl ethers, polyoxyethylene higher fatty acid esters, polyoxyethylene resinates, polyoxyethylene sorbitan mono-laurate, polyoxyethylene sorbitan monooleate, alkylarylsulfonates, naphthalenesulfonic acid condensation products, ligninsulfonates and higher alcohol sulfate esters.

Further, to stabilize the dispersion of an active ingredient, tackify it and/or bind it, there may be used adju-[0056] vants such as casein, gelatin, starch, methyl cellulose, carboxymethyl cellulose, gum arabic, polyvinyl alcohols, turpentine, bran oil, bentonite and ligninsulfonates.

To improve the flowabililty of a solid product, there may be used adjuvants such as waxes, stearates and [0057] alkyl phosphates.

Adjuvants such as naphthalenesulfonic acid condensation products and polycondensates of phosphates [0058] may be used as a peptizer for dispersible products.

Adjuvants such as silicon oils may also be used as a defoaming agent. [0059]

The content of the active ingredient may be varied as required and may be chosen in a range of 0.01 to 80% by weight as an active ingredient. In dusts or granules, the suitable content thereof is from 0.01 to 50% by weight. In emulsifiable concentrates or flowable wettable powders, it is also from 0.01 to 50% by weight.

The agricultural and horticultural insecticide of the present invention is used to control a variety of insect pests in the following manner. That is, it is applied to a crop on which the insect pests are expected to appear or a site where the appearance of the insect pests is undesirable, as it is or after being properly diluted with or suspended inwa-

ter or the like, in an amount effective for control of the insect pests.

[0062] The applying dosage of the agricultural and horticultural insecticide of the present invention is varied depending upon various factors such as a purpose, insect pests to be controlled, a growth state of a plant, tendency of insect pests appearance, weather, environmental conditions, a preparation form, an application method, an application site and an application time. It may be properly chosen in a range of 0.1 g to 10 kg (in terms of the active ingredient) per 10 ares depending upon purposes.

[0063] The agricultural and horticultural insecticide of the present invention may be used in admixture with other agricultural and horticultural disease or pest controllers, acaricides, nematicides, bioagrochemicals, etc.; and herbicides, plant growth regulators, manures, etc. depending upon scenes using the present agricultural and horticultural insecticides, in order to expand both spectrum of controllable diseases and insect pest species and the period of time when effective applications are possible or to reduce the dosage.

[0064] The agrohorticultural insecticide of the present invention may be applied to the plant seeds or the cultivation mediums for seeding such as soil to be seeded, the mat for raising seedlings, water, etc. by the method of application to rice nursery box, seed powdering, etc. or by the method of seed disinfection. For controlling the pest insects generated on fruit trees, cereals, upland field for vegetables, etc., it is also possible to make a plant absorb the agrohorticultural agent of the present invention by a seed treatment such as powder coating, dipping, etc., irrigation into seedling-raising carrier such as seedling-raising vessel, planting hole, etc. or by treatment of the culture solution for water culture.

EXAMPLES

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[0065] Next, typical examples of the present invention are presented below. The present invention is by no means limited by these examples.

Example 1

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(1-1) Production of N-[4-(1,1,2,3,3,3-hexafluoropropoxy)-1-methylphenyl]-3-nitrophthalimide

[0066] In 30 ml of acetic acid were dissolved 1.93 g of 3-nitrophthalic anhydride and 2.73 g of 4-(1,1,2,3,3,3-hex-afluoropropoxy)-1-methylaniline. A reaction was carried out for 3 hours with heating under reflux. After completion of the reaction, the solvent was distilled off under reduced pressure, and the residue was washed with a mixture of ether and hexane, whereby 4.4 g of the objective compound was obtained.

Property: m.p. 121°C; Yield: 98%

(1-2) Production of N¹-[4-(1,1,2,3,3,3-hexafluoropropoxy)-1-methylphenyl]-N²-(1-methyl-2-methylthioethyl)-3-nitrophthalamide (Compound No. 223)

[0067] In 10 ml of dioxane was dissolved 0.54 g of N-[4-(1,1,2,3,3,3-hexafluoropropoxy)-1-methylphenyl]-3-nitroph-thalimide. Then, 0.25 g of 1-methyl-2-methylthioethylamine and 0.01 g of acetic acid were added to the solution obtained above, and a reaction was carried out for 3 hours with heating under reflux. After completion of the reaction, the solvent was distilled off under reduced pressure, and the residue was purified by column chromatography using 1/1 mixture of hexane and ethyl acetate as an eluent. Thus, 0.45 g of the objective compound having an Rf value of 0.4 to 0.5 was obtained.

Property: m.p. 218°C; Yield: 68%

Example 2

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(2-1) Production of 3-fluoro-N-(4-heptafluoroisopropyl-2-methylphenyl)phthalimide

[0068] In 10 ml of acetic acid were dissolved 1.33 g of 3-fluorophthalic anhydride and 4-heptafluoroisopropyl-2-methylaniline. A reaction was carried out for 3 hours with heating under reflux. After completion of the reaction, the solvent was distilled off under reduced pressure, and the residue was washed with a mixture of ether and hexane to obtain 3.1 g of the objective compound.

Property: m.p. 155-157°C; Yield: 97%

(2-2) Production of N-(heptafluoroisopropyl-2-methylphenyl)phthalimide

[0069] In 20 ml of dimethylformamide was dissolved 2.54 g of 3-fluoro-N-(4-heptafluoroisopropyl-2-methylphenyl)-phthalimide. After adding 2.8 g of a 15% aqueous solution of methylmercaptan to the solution obtained above, a reaction was carried out at room temperature for 3 hours with stirring. After completion of the reaction, the reaction solution was poured into water, and the objective product was extracted with ethyl acetate. The extract solution was dried on anhydrous magnesium, the solvent was distilled off under reduced pressure, and the residue was washed with a mixture of ether and hexane. Thus, 2.2 g of the objective compound was obtained.

Property: m.p. 163-165°C; Yield: 81%

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(2-3) Production of N-(4-heptafluoroisopropyl-2-methylphenyl)-3-methylsulfonylphthalimide

[0070] In 20 ml of dichloromethane was dissolved 0.63 g of N-(4-heptafluoroisopropyl-2-methylphenyl)-3-methylth-iophthalimide. While cooling the solution with ice, 0.58 g of m-chloroperbenzoic acid was added and reacted at room temperature. After completion of the reaction, the reaction solution was poured into water, and the objective product was extracted with chloroform. The organic layer was washed with an aqueous solution of sodium thiosulfate and an aqueous solution of potassium carbonate and dried on anhydrous magnesium, the solvent was distilled off under reduced pressure, and the residue was washed with a mixture of ether and hexane. Thus, 0.63 g of the objective compound was obtained.

Property: m.p. 185-187°C; Yield: 93%

(2-4) Production of N^1 -(4-heptafluoroisopropyl-2-methylphenyl)- N^2 -(1-methyl-2-methylthioethyl)-3-methylsulfonylphthalamide (Compound No. 191) and N^1 -(4-heptafluoroisopropyl-2-methylphenyl)- N^2 -(1-methyl-2-methylthioethyl)-6-methylsulfonylphthalamide (Compound No. 192)

[0071] In 10 ml of dioxane was dissolved 0.63 g of N-(4-heptafluoroisopropyl-2-methylphenyl)-3-methylsulfonylphthalimide. After adding 0.25 g of 1-methyl-2-methylthioethylamine and 0.01 g of acetic acid to the solution obtained above, a reaction was carried out for 3 hours with heating under reflux. After completion of the reaction, the solvent was distilled off under reduced pressure, and the residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography using 1/1 mixture of hexane and ethyl acetate as an eluent. Thus, 0.42 g of the first objective compound having an Rf value of 0.5 to 0.7 (Compound No. 191) and 0.18 g of the second objective compound having an Rf value of 0.2 to 0.3 (Compound No. 192) were obtained.

Compound No. 191: Property: m.p. 205-206°C;

Yield: 55%

Compound No. 192: Property: m.p. 210-212°C;

Yield: 24%

Example 3

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(3-1) Production of 3-iodo-N-(1-methyl-3-methylthiopropyl)-phthalamic acid

[0072] To a suspension of 2.74 g of 3-iodophthalic anhydride in 8 ml of acetonitrile cooled with ice was slowly added dropwise a solution of 1.19 g of 1-methyl-3-methylthiopropylamine in 3 ml of acetonitrile. After completion of the dropping, a reaction was carried out at room temperature for 3 hours with stirring. After completion of the reaction, the deposited crystal was collected by filtration and washed with a small quantity of acetonitrile. Thus, 3.5 g of the objective compound was obtained.

Property: m.p. 148-150°C; Yield: 89%

(3-2) Production of 6-iodo-N-(1-methyl-3-methylthiopropyl)-phthalisoimide

[0073] To a suspension of 0.79 g of 3-iodo-N-(1-methyl-3-methylthiopropyl)phthalamic acid in 10 ml of toluene was added 0.63 g of trifluoroacetic anhydride. A reaction was carried out at room temperature for 30 minutes with stirring. After completion of the reaction, the solvent was distilled off under reduced pressure to obtain 0.75 g of a crude objective product, which was used in the subsequent reaction without purification.

(3-3) Production of 6-iodo-N¹-(4-heptafluoroisopropyl-2-methylphenyl)-N²-(1-methyl-3-methylthiopropyl)phthalamide (Compound No. 162)

[0074] In 10 ml of acetonitrile was dissolved 0.75 g of 6-iodo-N-(1-methyl-3-methylthiopropyl)phthalisoimide. After adding 0.55 g of 4-heptafluoroisopropyl-2-methylaniline and 0.01 g of trifluoroacetic acid to the solution obtained above, a reaction was carried out for 3 hours with stirring. After completion of the reaction, the deposited crystal was collected by filtration and washed with a small quantity of cold acetonitrile. Thus, 1.17 g of the objective compound was obtained.

Property: m.p. 192-194°C; Yield: 90%

(3-4) Production of 3-iodo-N¹-(4-heptafluoroisopropyl-2-methylphenyl)-N²-(1-methyl-3-methylsulfenylpropyl)-phthala-mide (Compound No. 195)

[0075] In 10 ml of dichloromethane was dissolved 0.65 g of 6-iodo-N¹-(4-heptafluoroisopropyl-2-methylphenyl)-N²-(1-methyl-3-methylthiopropyl)phthalamide. After adding 0.18 g of m-chloroperbenzoic acid to the solution obtained above, a reaction was carried out at room temperature for 3 hours. After completion of the reaction, the reaction solution was poured into water, and the objective product was extracted with chloroform. The organic layer was washed with an aqueous solution of sodium thiosulfate and an aqueous solution of potassium carbonate and dried on anhydrous magnesium sulfate, the solvent was distilled off under reduced pressure, and the residue was washed with a mixture of ether and hexane. Thus, 0.61 g of the objective compound was obtained.

Property: m.p. 123-125°C; Yield: 92%

(3-5) Production of 3-iodo-N¹-(4-heptafluoroisopropyl-2-methylphenyl)-N²-(1-methyl-3-methylsulfonylpropyl)-phthala-mide (Compound No. 196)

[0076] 3-lodo-N¹-(4-heptafluoroisopropyl-2-methylphenyl)-N²-(1-methyl-3-methylsulfenylpropyl)phthalamide (0.4 g) was treated in the same manner as in Example (3-4). Thus, 0.39 g of the objective compound was obtained.

Property: m.p. 128-130°C; Yield: 95%

Example 4

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(4-1) Production of N-(4-heptafluoroisopropyl-2-methylphenyl)-3-trifluoromethoxybenzamide

[0077] In 50 ml of tetrahydrofuran was dissolved 2.24 g of 3-trifluoromethoxybenzoyl chloride, to which were slowly added dropwise 2.75 g of 4-heptafluoroisopropyl-2-methylaniline and 1.2 g of triethylamine. After completion of the dropping, a reaction was carried out at room temperature for 1 hour. After completion of the reaction, the reaction solution was poured into water, the objective product was extracted with ethyl acetate and dried on anhydrous magnesium sulfate, the solvent was distilled off under reduced pressure, and the residue was washed with a mixture of ether and hexane. Thus, 4.6 g of the objective compound was obtained.

Property: Oily product; Yield: 99%

(4-2) Production of N-(4-heptafluoroisopropyl-2-methylphenyl)-3-trifluoromethoxyphthalamic acid

[0078] In 20 ml of tetrahydrofuran was dissolved 2.2 g of N-(4-heptafluoroisopropyl-2-methylphenyl)-3-trifluoromethoxybenzamide. At -70°C, 10 ml of s-butyllithium (0.96 M/L) was slowly added to the above solution and reacted at that temperature for 30 minutes. Then, the cooling bath was removed, and an excessive amount of carbon dioxide was introduced into the reaction solution and reacted at room temperature for 30 minutes. After completion of the reaction, the reaction solution was poured into water and acidified with dilute hydrochloric acid, the objective product was extracted with ethyl acetate and dried on anhydrous magnesium sulfate, the solvent was distilled off under reduced pressure, and the residue was washed with a mixture of ether and hexane. Thus, 2.1 g of the objective compound was obtained.

Property: m.p. 168-172°C; Yield: 87%

(4-3) Production of N-(4-heptafluoroisopropyl-2-methylphenyl)-3-trifluoromethoxyphthalisoimide

[0079] To a suspension of 0.46 g of N-(4-heptafluoroisopropyl-2-methylphenyl)-3-trifluoromethoxyphthalamic acid in 10 ml of toluene was added 0.51 g of trifluoroacetic anhydride, and a reaction was carried out at room temperature for 30 minutes. After completion of the reaction, the solvent was distilled off under reduced pressure to obtain 0.49 g of a crude objective product. The product thus obtained was used in the subsequent reaction without purification.

(4-4) Production of N^1 -(4-heptafluoroisopropyl-2-methylphenyl)- N^2 -3-(1-methyl-2-methylthioethyl)-3-trifluoromethoxyphthalamide (Compound No. 210)

[0080] In 10 ml of acetonitrile was dissolved 0.44 g of N-(4-heptafluoroisopropyl-2-methylphenyl)-3-trifluoromethoxyphthalisoimide. Then, 0.10 g of 1-methyl-2-methylthioethylaniline and 0.01 g of trifluoroacetic acid were added to the solution obtained above, and reacted for 3 hours. After completion of the reaction, the reaction solution was cooled to 0°C, the deposited crystal was collected by filtration, and washed with hexane. Thus, 0.46 g of the objective compound was obtained.

Property: m.p. 184-185°C; Yield: 77%

[0081] Next, typical formulation examples of the present invention and test examples are presented below. The present invention is by no means limited by these examples.

[0082] In the formulation examples, the term "parts" means "parts by weight".

Formulation Example 1

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Each compound listed in Table 1, 2 or 3	50 parts
Xylene	40 parts
Mixture of polyoxyethylene nonylphenyl ether and calcium alkylbenzenesulfonate	10 parts

[0084] An emulsifiable concentrate was prepared by mixing uniformly the above ingredients to effect dissolution.

Formulation Example 2

[0085]

Each compound listed in Table 1, 2 or 3 3 parts
Clay powder 82 parts
Diatomaceous earth powder 15 parts

[0086] A dust was prepared by mixing uniformly and grinding the above ingredients.

Formulation Example 3

[0087]

Each compound listed Table 1, 2 or 3 5 parts

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Mixed powder of bentonite and clay	90 parts
Calcium lignin sulfonate	5 parts

[0088] Granules were prepared by mixing the above ingredients uniformly, and kneading the resulting mixture together with a suitable amount of water, followed by granulation and drying.

Formulation Example 4

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Each compound listed in Table 1, 2 or 3

Mixture of kaolin and synthetic high-dispersion silicic acid

75 parts

Mixture of polyoxyethylene nonylphenyl ether and calcium alkylbenzenesulfonate

5 parts

[0090] A wettable powder was prepared by mixing uniformly and grinding the above ingredients.

Test Example 1: Insecticidal effect on diamond back moth (Plutella xylostella)

[0091] Adult diamondback moths were released and allowed to oviposit on a Chinese cabbage seedling. Two days after the release, the seedling having the eggs deposited thereon was immersed for about 30 seconds in a liquid chemical prepared by diluting a preparation containing each compound listed in Table 1, 2 or 3 as an active ingredient to adjust the concentration to 50 ppm. After air-dryness, it was allowed to stand in a room thermostatted at 25°C. Six days after the immersion, the hatched insects were counted. The mortality was calculated according to the following equation and the insecticidal effect was judged according to the criterion shown below. The test was carried out with triplicate groups of 10 insects.

Corrected mortality(%) =

[Number of hatched insects in untreated group]-[Number of hatched insects in treated group] X 100 [Number of hatched insects in untreated group]

Criterion:

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Effect	Mortality(%)	
Α	100	
В	99 - 90	
С	89 - 80	
D	79 - 50	

[0093] The results obtained are shown in Table 5.

Test Example 2: Insecticidal effect on common cutworm (Spodoptera Litura)

[0094] A piece of cabbage leaf (cultivar; Shikidori) was immersed for about 30 seconds in a liquid chemical prepared by diluting a preparation containing each compound listed in Table 1, 2 or 3 as an active ingredient to adjust the

concentration to 50 ppm. After air-dryness, it was placed in a plastic Petri dish with a diameter of 9 cm and inoculated with second-instar larvae of common cutworm, after which the dish was closed and then allowed to stand in a room thermostatted at 25°C. Eight days after the inoculation, the dead and alive were counted. The mortality was calculated according to the following equation and the insecticidal effect was judged according to the criterion shown in Test Example 1. The test was carried out with triplicate groups of 10 insects.

Corrected mortality(%) =

[Number of alive larvae in untreated group]-[Number of alive larvae in treated group] X 100 [Number of alive larvae in untreated group]

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The results are shown in Table 5.

Test Example 3: Insecticidal effect on smaller tea tortrix (Adoxophyes sp.)

A leaf of teatree was immersed for 30 seconds in a liquid chemical containing each compound listed in Table 1, 2 or 3 as an active ingredient to adjust the concentration to 50 ppm. After air-dryness, the leaf was transferred to a plastic dish with a diameter of 9 cm and inoculated with larval smaller tea tortrix. Then, the leaf was allowed to stand in a room thermostatted at 25°C at a humidity of 70%. Eight days after the inoculation, the dead and alive were counted, and the insecticidal effect was judged according to the same criterion as mentioned in Test Example 1. The test was carried out with triplicate groups of 10 insects.

[0097] The results are shown in Table 5.

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Table 5

No	Test Example 1	Test Example 2	Test Example 3
1	A	A	Α
2	Α	A	A
3	Α	Α	Α
4	A		
5	Α	Α	
6	Α	A:	Α
7	Α	Α	A
8	A		С
9	Α		
10	A	Α	Α
1 1	A	Α	A
1 2	Α		
1 3	Α		
1 4	Α		
1 5	A		
1 6	A		Α
1 7	Α	Α	Α
18	Α	Α	A
1 9	A	Α	Α
20	Α	Α	Α
2 1	Α	Α	A
2 2	A	Α	A
2 3	A	Α	A

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Table 5 (Continued)

No	Test Example 1	Test Example 2	Test Example 3
2 4	А		A
2 5	Α	A	Α
2 6	Α	A	Α
27	Α		
28	A	A	A
2 9	Α	A	Α
3 0	Α	A	A
3 1	Α	A	A
3 2	Α	A	A
3 3	Α	A	A
3 4	Α	A	A.
3 5	Α	A	Α
3 6	Α		
3 7	Α	A	A
3 8	Α		A
3 9	A	A	A
4 1	A	Α	A
4 2	A		
4 3	A		Α
4 4	A		А
4 6	A		A
4 7	A		
4 8	Α	Α	A

Table 5 (Continued)

5	No	Test Example 1	Test Example 2	Test Example 3
10	4 9	A	Α	A
	5 0	A	Α	Α
	· 5 1	A		
15	5 2	A		
	5 3	Α		Α
	5 4	Α	С	Α
20	5 5	Α		
	5 6	Α	A	Α
25	5 7	A		Α
-	5 8	A		
	5 9	A		A
30	6 0	A	·	Α
(6 1	Α	Α	A
	6 2	Α	Α	Α
35	6 3	Α		Α
!	6 4	A		A
40	6 5	A	A	A
	6 6	A	A	A
	6 7	A	A	A
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	7 2	A		Α
	7 3	A	С	Α
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No	Test Example 1	Test Example 2	Test Example 3
7 5	A	A	A
7 6	Α	A	A
7 7	Α		
7 8	A		
7 9	A	A	Α
8 0	Α	A	A
8 1	A	Α	A
8 2	A		A
8 3	Α	Α	A
8 4	A	A	A
8 5	A		A
. 86	A	A	A
8 7	A	С	
8 8	A	С	
8 9	A		A
9 0	A		A
9 2	A	A	A
9 3	A	A	A
9 4	A	A	A
9 5	A	A	Α
9 6	A	A	A
9 7	A	A	A
9 8	A	A	Α

Table 5 (Continued)

No	Test Example 1	Test Example 2	Test Example 3
9 9	. A	A	A
100	A	C	Α
101	A	A	Α
102	Α	A	
103	Α		
104	Α		
105	Α		Α
106	Α	A	A
107	Α		
108	Α	Α	
109	A	A	A
110	Α		
111	Α		В
112	Α	Α	A
113	Α	Α	Α
114	Α	Α	Α
115	Α	A	
116	A		
117	A		Α
118	Α	Α	Α.
119	Α	Α	Α
120	A		
1 2 1	Α	Α	A

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No	Test Example 1	Test Example 2	Test Example 3
122	А	A	А
123	Α	A	Α
124	Α	Α	Α
1 2 5	Α	Α	A
126	Α	A	Α
127	Α	A	Α
129	Α		
130	Α	A	A
1 3 2	Α		
1 3 3	Ą	A	
134	Α	A	A
1 3 5	A	Α	-A
1 3 6	Α	A	A
1 3 7	A		A
1 3 9	· A	A	
140	A	A	A
141	A	A	
142	A	A	A
143	A	D	
144	A	A	
1 4 5	A	A	A
146	A	A	A
147	A		

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No	Test Example 1	Test Example 2	Test Example 3
1 4 8	А	С	
1 4 9	A	A.	
150	A	A	Α
151	Α		
1 5 2	A	·	
153	A	A	Α
154	Α	A	Α
155	Α		A
156	Α	Α	Α
157	Α	A	Α .
158	Α		
1 5 9	Α	A	A
160	Α	A	Α
161	A	A	A
1 6 2	Α	A	A
163	A	A	A
164	Α		Α .
1 6 5	Α	A	Α
166	Α	Α	Α
167	Α	A	Α .
168	Α .	Α	Α
169	A	Α	Α
170	Α	A	Α

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No	Test Example 1	Test Example 2	Test Example 3
171	A		Α
172	Α		
173	Α	A	Α
174	Α	С	A
175	Α	D	A
176	A	A	A
177	A		
178	Α	D	A
179	Α		A
180	A		A
181	A	A	A
182	A	• A	A
183	A	A	A
184	A	A	A
185	A	A	Α
186	A	A	Α
187	A	A	Α
188	A	A	A
189	A	A	A
190	A		A
191	A	A	A
192	. A		
193	A	D	

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No	Test Example 1	Test Example 2	Test Example 3
194	А		
195	Α	А	A
196	Α	Α	Α
197	Α	С	A
198	Α	Α	A
199	Α	Α	A
200	Α	Α	A
201	Α	Α	A
202	Α		Α
203	A	A	A
204	Α	A	A
205	Α	Α	A
206	Α	Α	A
207	Α	A	A
208	Α	A	A
209	Α		
210	Α	Α	A
2 1 1	Α	Α	A
212	Α	Α	A
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216	Α	Α ·	A

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217	A	A	A
218	Α	A	Α
219	Α	A	А
220	Α	A	A
221	A	A	Α
222	A		
223	Α		}
224	A		A
225	A	A	A
226	Α ·	A	A
227	A	A	
228	A	A	
229	A	A	Α
230	A	A	A
2 3 1	Α	A	Α
232	A	A	
233	A	A	
234	A	Α	A
2 3 5	A	Α	A
236	1	A	A
237	ì	A	A.
2 3 8	1	A	A
2 3 9	1 .	A	A

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No	Test Example 1	Test Example 2	Test Example 3
240	A	А	A
241	A	А	A
242	A	A	A
2 4 3	A	Α	A
244	A	A	A
2 4 5	A	A	A
246	A	A	Α
247	A	A	A
248	Α	Α	A
249	Α	A	A
250	Α	A	
251	Α		A
252	Α		Α
253	Α	A	A
254	Α	Α	A
255	. A	A	Ä
256	Α	A	A
257	Α	Α	A
2 5 8	Α		
259	Α	Α	Α
260	Α .	Α	Α
261	Α	A	A
262	A	A	Α

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No	Test Example 1	Test Example 2	Test Example 3
263	А	А	А
264	Α	Α	Α
265	Α	A	Α
266	Α	Α	Α
267	Α	Α	Α
268	Α	Α	A
269	Α	Α	Α
270	A	A	A
271	· A	С	A
272	A	A	A
273	A		С
274	A	С	A
275	A		
276	A	A	A
277	A		
278	A	Α	Ά
279	A		С
280	A	С	A
281	A	A	A
282	A	A	Α
283	A	A	Α
284	. A	A	Α
285	A	A	Α

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No	Test Example 1	Test Example 2	Test Example 3
286	А	С	A
287	A	A	A
288	A	A	Α
289	A		
290	A	D	
292	A		
293	Α		A
294	Α	Α	A
295	Α	Α	Α
296	Α	Α	A
297	A	A	Α
298	Α		A
299	Α	D	. A
300	Α		
301	Α		Α
302	Α	·	A
303	Α	A	. А
3 0 5	Α	A	A
306	Α	Α	A
307	Α	A	-
309	Α	Α	Α
310	Α	Α	Α
3 1 1	Α	Α	

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No	Test Example 1	Test Example 2	Test Example 3
3 1 2	A	A	А
3 1 3	Α	A	A
3 1 4	Α	A	Α
3 1 5	Α	Α	A
3 1 6	Α	A	A
317	A	Α	A
3 1 8	A	А	A
3 1 9	A		A
3 2 0	A	С	D
3 2 1	A	Α	A
3 2 2	A		1
3 2 4	A		
3 2 5	A	Α	A
3 2 6	A		A
3 2 7	A		Α
3 2 8	A	A	A
3 2 9	A		A
330	A	A	A
3 3 2	A		A
3 3 3	A	A	A
3 3 4	A		A
3 3 5	A		D
3 3 6	A	С	Α

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No	Test Example 1	Test Example 2	Test Example 3
3 3 7	А	A	
3 3 8	A	A	
3 3 9	Α	Α	Α
3 4 0	Α	A	
3 4 1	Α	A	Α
3 4 2	A		
3 4 3	Α .		·
3 4 4	Α		Α
3 4 5	Α		
3 4 6	Α	A	Α
3 4 7	Α		
3 4 8	Α	Α	Α
3 4 9	Α	Α	Α
3 5 1	Α	Α	Α
3 5 2	Α		Α.
3 5 3	Α		Α
3 5 5	Α	Α	Α
3 5 6	Α		:
3 5 7	Α	Α	Α
3 5 8	Α	Α	A
3 5 9	Α	Α	A
360	Α	Α	Α
3 6 1	Α	Α	Α

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No	Test Example 1	Test Example 2	Test Example 3
3 6 2	А	А	А
3 6 3	A	Α	Α
364	Α	Α	Α
365	Α	Α	A
366	Α	Α	A
3 6 7	Α	A	A
3 6 8	A	·	A
3 6 9	A	A	A
370	A	A	
371	A	A	A
372	A	A	A
373	Α .	A	A
374	A	A	A
3 7 5	A	Α	
376	A	С	A
377	A		
3 7 8	A		
3 7 9	A		
380	A	Α	Α
381	A	A	
382	A	A	Α
383	A	A	Α
3 8 4	A	D	A

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No	Test Example 1	Test Example 2	Test Example 3
3 8 5	A	С	
386	Α		
387	Α		
388	Α	A	A
389	Α		
390	Α		
3 9 1	Α		
392	A	D	A
3 9 3	Α	A	A
394	Α	A	Α
395	Α	A	Α
3 9 6	Α	Α	A
3 9 7	Α	Α	Α
398	Α	Α	A
399	Α	A	A
400	Α	A	Α
401	Α	A	Α
402	Α	Α	Α
403	Α	Α	Α
404	Α	A	Α
405	Α	A	Α
406	Α	. А	Α
407	Α	A	А

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No	Test Example 1	Test Example 2	Test Example 3
408	Α	A	Α
409	Α	A	Α
410	Α	A	
411	Α	A	A _.
412	Α	Α	A
413	· A	A	A
414	A	A	· А
415	A	A	A
417	A	A	Α
419	, A	A	A
420	A	A	A
421	A	A	A
422	A	A	A
423	A	A	A
424	A	A	В
425	A	A	
426	A	D	С
427	Α	A	С
428	Α	D	A
429	Α	A	A
430	A	A	A
431	A	A	A
432	A	A	A

Table 5 (Continued)

No	Test Example 1	Test Example 2	Test Example 3
4 3 3	A	А	Α
4 3 4	Α	A	A
4 3 5	Α	A	А
4 3 6	A	Α	Α.
4 3 7	A	A	A
4 3 8	A	Α	A
4 3 9	Α	Α	Α
4 4 0	Α	A	Α
4 4 1	A	A	Α
4 4 2	A	Α	Α
4 4 3	Α	Α	Α
4 4 4	Α	D	Α
4 4 5	Α		Α
4 4 6	Α		
4 4 7	Α.		
4 4 8	Α	Α	Α
4 4 9	Α	Α	Α
450	Α	Α	Α
4 5 1	Α		Α
4 5 2	Α		
4 5 3	Α	Α	Α
454	Α	Α	Α
4 5 9	A	·	

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Table 5 (Continued)

No	Test Example 1	Test Example 2	Test Example 3
4 6 0	Α	Α	D
461	Α		D
462	Α	D	Α
4 6 3	Α	Α	Α
4 6 5	Α		
4 6 7	Α	A	Α
4 6 9	Α		
470	Α	С	A
4.71	Α		Α
472	Α		Α
473	Α .		В
474	Α		D
475	A		A
478	A		
4 8 0	A		A
481	A	Α	A
482	A	A	Α
4 8 3	A	A	Α
484	Α	A	Α
4 8 6	Α	A	A
4 9 0	A	С	A
491	_		_
4 9 2	_	_	_

Table 5 (Continued)

No	Test Example 1	Test Example 2	Test Example 3
4 9 3	~	_	. –
4 9 4	~	_	_
4 9 5	_	_	-
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Table 5 (Continued)

No	Test Example 1	Test Example 2	Test Example 3
2 - 3	A		A
2 - 5	Α	С	
2 - 6	Α	D	
2 - 7	Α		
2 - 8	Α	A	
2 - 9	Α		
2-10	A	D	A
2-11	A		
2-12	A		A
2-13	A		Α
2-14	Α .	С	A
2-15	A	A	A
2-16	A		
2-17	A	A	
3 - 1	A	A	
3 – 2	A		

Claims

1. A phthalamide derivative represented by the following general formula (I) or salt thereof:

$$(X)1 \qquad 0 \qquad A^{1} - S - R^{1}$$

$$C - N - R^{2} \qquad (Y)m$$

$$C - N(R^{3}) - O$$
(1)

wherein A1 represents C1-C8 alkylene group, substituted C1-C8 alkylene group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 sulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, hydroxy C_1 -C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group and substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, C3-C8 alkenylene group, substituted C3-C8 alkenylene group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, C_1 - C_6 group, C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group and substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, C_3 - C_8 alkynylene group, or substituted C_3 - C_8 alkynylene group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 $\textbf{alkylthio group, } C_1\text{-}c_6 \textbf{ alkylsulfinyl group, halo } C_1\text{-}C_6 \textbf{ alkylsulfinyl group, } C_1\text{-}C_6 \textbf{ alkylsulfonyl group, halo } C_1\text{-}C_6 \textbf{ alkylsulfinyl group, halo } C_1\text{-}C_6 \textbf$ sulfonyl group, C1-C6 alkylthio C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group and substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 fonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 -C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group,

further, an arbitrary saturated carbon atom in said C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, substituted C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, C_3 - C_8 alkenylene group, substituted C_3 - C_8 alkenylene group, C_3 - C_8 alkynylene group and substituted C_3 - C_8 alkylene group to form a C_3 - C_6 cycloalkane ring, and arbitrary two carbon atoms in said C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, substituted C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, C_3 - C_8 alkenylene group and substituted C_3 - C_8 alkenylene group may be taken conjointly with an alkylene group or an alkenylene group to form a C_3 - C_6 cycloalkane ring or C_3 - C_6 cycloalkene ring;

 R^1 represents hydrogen atom, mercapto group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkylgroups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenylthio group, substituted phenylthio group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom,

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cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 sulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C1-C6 alkylamino group, di C1-C6 alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, or -A²-R⁴ [wherein A² represents -C(=O)-, -C(=S)-, -C(=NR⁵)- (in which R⁵ represents hydrogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group or substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group),

 C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, halo C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, C_3 - C_6 alkenylene group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group or halo C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group; and

(1) in cases where A² represents -C(=O)-, -C(=S)-or -C(=NR⁵)- wherein R⁵ is as defined above, R⁴ represents hydrogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1- C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, h sulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo Č₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, or -Z1-R6 wherein Z1 represents -O-, -S- or -N(R7)- (wherein R7 represents hydrogen atom, C1-C6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylcarbonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylcarbonyl group or C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group), and R^6 represents hydrogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C1-C6 alkylamino group, di C1-C6 alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, substituted phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 sulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C1-C6 alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group. groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, and (2) in cases where A² represents C₁-C₈ alkylene group, halo C₁-C₈ alkylene group, C₃-C₆ alkenylene

group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenylene group, C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group or halo C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group, R^4 represents hydrogen atom, halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, halo C_3 - C_6

cycloalkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylaminocarbonyl group, di C_1 - C_2 - C_6 alkylaminocarbonyl group, di C_1 - C_2 - C_6 alkylaminocarbonyl group, di C_1 - C_2 - C_3 - C_4 - C_6 -Cnocarbonyl group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 sulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_5 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, or -Z²-R⁸ wherein Z² represents -O-, -S-, -SO-, -SO₂-, -N(R⁹)- (wherein R⁹ represents hydrogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylcarbonyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylcarbonyl group, C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenylcarbonyl group, or substituted phenylcarbonyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group), -C(=0)- or $-C(=NOR^{10})$ - (wherein R^{10} represents hydrogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkynyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkynyl group, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group or substituted phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group) and R⁸ represents hydrogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkynyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkynyl group, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylcarbonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylcarbonyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylaminocarbonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 bonyl group, di C₁-C₆ alkylaminocarbonyl group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, substituted phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group], or

alternatively, R¹ may be combined with A¹ to form a 5- to 8-membered ring which may be intercepted by 1 or 2, same or different oxygen atoms, sulfur atoms or nitrogen atoms;

 R^2 and R^3 which may be same or different, represent hydrogen atom, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group or - A^2 - R^4 wherein A^2 and R^4 are as defined above; or

alternatively, R² may be combined with A¹ or R¹ to form a 5- to 7-membered ring which may be intercepted by 1 or 2, same or different oxygen atoms, sulfur atoms or nitrogen atoms;

X which may be same or different, represents halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group,

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nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, or -A³-R¹¹ [wherein A³ represents -O-, -S-, -SO-, -SO₂-, -C(=O)-, -C(=NOR¹²)- (in which R¹² represents hydrogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, phenyl C₁-C₄ alkyl group or substituted phenyl C₁-C4 alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group), C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, C_2 - C_6 alkenylene group, halo C_2 - C_6 alkenylene group, C_2 - C_6 alkynylene group or halo C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group; and

(1) in cases where A³ represents -O-, -S-, -SO- or -SO₂-, R¹¹ represents halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkenyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, \bar{C}_1 - \bar{C}_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, \bar{C}_1 - \bar{C}_6 alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C1-C6 alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, or -A⁴-R¹³ (wherein A⁴ represents C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, C_3 - C_6 alkenylene group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenylene group, C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group or halo C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group or halo C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group. nylene group, and R13 represents hydrogen atom, halogen atom, C3-C6 cycloalkyl group, halo C3-C6 cycloalkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, or - A^5 - R^{14} (wherein A⁵ represents -O-, -S-, -SO-, -SO₂- or -C(=O)-, and R¹⁴ represents C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁- C_6 alkyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkynyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkynyl group, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 -C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl grou sulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group)), and

(2) in cases where A^3 represents -C(=O)- or -C(=NOR 12)- wherein R^{12} is as defined above, R^{11} represents hydrogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl group, halo C_2 - C_6 alkenyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, mono C_1 -

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C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenylamino group, substituted phenylamino group having on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, hato C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C1-C6 alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, and

(3) in cases where A3 represents C1-C6 alkylene group, halo C1-C6 alkylene group, C2-C6 alkenylene group, halo C₂-C₆ alkenylene group, C₂-C₆ alkynylene group or halo C₃-C₆ alkynylene group, R¹¹ represents hydrogen atom, hydroxy group, halogen atom, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C1-C6 alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, or -A⁶-R¹⁵ (wherein A⁶ represents -O-, -S-, -SO- or -SO₂-, and R¹⁵ represents C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, $m C_1$ - $m C_6$ alkylsulfonyl group, halo $m C_1$ - $m C_6$ alkylsulfonyl group, mono $m C_1$ - $m C_6$ alkylamino group, di $m C_1$ - $m C_6$ alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, or - A^7 - R^{16} (wherein A^7 represents C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, C_2 - C_6 alkenylene group, halo C_2 - C_6 alkenylene group, C_2 - C_6 alkynylene group or halo C₃-C₆ alkynylene group, and R¹⁶ represents hydrogen atom, halogen atom, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkył group, halo C₁-C₆ alkył group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, phenoxy group, substituted phenoxy group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁- C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl-

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sulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenylthio group, substituted phenylthio group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, heterocyclic group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, h

alternatively, X may be taken conjointly with the adjacent carbon atom on the phenyl ring to form a fused ring, and said fused ring may have at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group; and

Y may be same or different and represents halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, halo C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, tri C_1 - C_6 alkylsilyl group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfing group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, or -A3-R11 wherein A3 and R11 are as defined above; and m represents an integer of 0 to 5; and

Y may be taken conjointly with an adjacent carbon atom on the phenyl ring to form a fused ring, and said fused ring may have at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, and substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group; and n represents an integer of 0 to 2;

provided that when X, R^2 and R^3 simultaneously represent hydrogen atom, m represents an integer of 2, Y of the 2-position represents fluorine atom and Y of the 3-position represents chlorine atom, then A^1 is not propylene group, R^1 is not methyl group and n is not an integer of 0.

 A phthalamide derivative or salt thereof according to Claim 1, wherein A¹ represents C₁-C₈ alkylene group, substituted C₁-C₈ alkylene group having at least one, same or

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different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, C_3 - C_8 alkenylene group, substituted C_3 - C_8 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, or substituted C_3 - C_8 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, or substituted C_3 - C_8 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C

further, an arbitrary saturated carbon atom in said C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, substituted C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, C_3 - C_8 alkenylene group, substituted C_3 - C_8 alkenylene group, C_3 - C_8 alkynylene group and substituted C_3 - C_8 alkynylene group and substituted C_3 - C_8 alkylene group to form a C_3 - C_6 cycloalkane ring, and arbitrary two carbon atoms in said C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, substituted C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, C_3 - C_8 alkenylene group and substituted C_3 - C_8 alkenylene group may be taken conjointly with an alkylene group or an alkenylene group to form a C_3 - C_6 cycloalkane ring or C_3 - C_6 cycloalkane ring;

R1 represents hydrogen atom, mercapto group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C3-C6 cycloalkyl group, halo C3-C6 cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group. halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenylthio group, substituted phenylthio group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C1-C6 alkylamino group, di C1-C6 alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, or -A²-R⁴ [wherein A² represents -C(=O)-, -C(=S)-, -C(=NR⁵)- (in which R⁵ represents hydrogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group or substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkyl group, C3-C6 alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group and halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group),

 C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, halo C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, C_3 - C_6 alkenylene group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenylene group, C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group or halo C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group; and

(1) in cases where A^2 represents -C(=O)-, -C(=S)-or -C(=NR⁵)- wherein R^5 is as defined above, R^4 represents hydrogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo

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 C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, or -Z¹-R⁶ wherein Z¹ represents -O-, -S- or -N(R⁷)- (wherein R⁷ represents hydrogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl $_2$ group, C_1 - C_6 alkylcarbonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylcarbonyl group or C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group), and R^6 represents hydrogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkynyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkynyl group, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, phenyl C1-C4 alkyl group, substituted phenyl C1-C4 alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group, and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group. erocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, and

(2) in cases where A2 represents C1-C8 alkylene group, halo C1-C8 alkylene group, C3-C6 alkenylene group, halo C₃-C₆ alkenylene group, C₃-C₆ alkynylene group or halo C₃-C₆ alkynylene group, R⁴ represents hydrogen atom, halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C3-C6 cycloalkyl group, halo C3-C6 cycloalkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylaminocarbonyl group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylaminocarbonyl group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, or -Z²-R⁸ wherein Z² represents -O-, -S-, -SO-, -SO₂-, -N(R⁹)-(wherein R⁹ represents hydrogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylcarbonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylcarbonyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, phenylcarbonyl group, or substituted phenylcarbonyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 -C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group and halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group), -C(=O)- or -C(=NOR10)- (wherein R10 represents hydrogen atom, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, C3-C6 cycloalkyl group, phenyl C1-C4 alkyl group or substituted phenyl C1-C4 alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group) and R^8 represents hydrogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylcarbonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylcarbonyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylaminocarbonyl group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylaminocarbonyl group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, substituted phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆

alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 -

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 C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, or

alternatively, R¹ may be combined with A¹ to form a 5- to 8-membered ring which may be intercepted by 1 or 2, same or different oxygen atoms, sulfur atoms or nitrogen atoms;

 R^2 and R^3 which may be same or different, represent hydrogen atom, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group or $-A^2$ - R^4 wherein A^2 and R^4 are as defined above; or

alternatively, R² may be combined with A¹ or R¹ to form a 5- to 7-membered ring which may be intercepted by 1 or 2, same or different oxygen atoms, sulfur atoms or nitrogen atoms;

X which may be same or different, represents halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_2 - C_6 alkenyl group, halo C_2 - C_6 alkenyl group, C_2 - C_6 alkynyl group, halo C_2 - C_6 alkenyl group, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, or C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group and 1 represents an integer of 0 to 4: and

alternatively, X may be taken conjointly with the adjacent carbon atom on the phenyl ring to form a fused ring, and said fused ring may have at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group; and

Y may be same or different and represents halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, tri C₁-C₆ alkylsilyl group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group and halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 nyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group and halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, or -A³-R¹¹ [wherein A³ represents -O-, -S-, -SO-, -SO₂-, -C(=O)-, -C(=NOR¹²)- (in which R¹² represents hydrogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkynyl group, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group or substituted phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, and halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group), C₁-C₆ alkylene group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylene group, C₂-C₆ alkenylene group, halo C2-C6 alkenylene group, C2-C6 alkynylene group or halo C3-C6 alkynylene group; and

(1) in cases where A3 represents -O-, -S-, -SO- or -SO2-, R11 represents phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, and halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, or -4^4 -R 13 (wherein A 4 represents C $_1$ -C $_6$ alkylene group, halo C $_1$ -C $_6$ alkylene group, C $_3$ -C $_6$ alkenylene group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenylene group, C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group or halo C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group, and R^{13} represents hydrogen atom, halogen atom, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, or -A-R¹⁴ (wherein A⁵ represents -O-, -S-, -SO-, -SO₂- or -C(=O)-, and R¹⁴ represents C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, C₃-

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 C_6 cycloalkyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group), and

(2) in cases where A³ represents -C(=O)- or -C(=NOR¹²)- wherein R¹² is as defined above, R¹¹ represents hydrogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₂-C₆ alkenyl group, halo C₂-C₆ alkenyl group, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, phenylamino group, substituted phenylamino group having on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 al fonyl group and halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylsulfonyl group and halo $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylsulfonyl group, and

(3) in cases where A^3 represents C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, C_2 - C_6 alkenylene group, halo C₂-C₆ alkenylene group, C₂-C₆ alkynylene group or halo C₃-C₆ alkynylene group, R¹¹ represents hydrogen atom, hydroxy group, halogen atom, C3-C6 cycloalkyl group, halo C3-C6 cycloalkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group and halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, or -A⁶-R¹⁵ (wherein A⁶ represents -O-, -S-, -SO- or -SO₂-, and R¹⁵ represents C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group and halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, or $-A^7-R^{16}$ (wherein A^7 represents C_1-C_6 alkylene group, halo C_1-C_6 alkylene group, C_2-C_6 alkenylene group, halo C_2 - C_6 alkenylene group, C_2 - C_6 alkynylene group or halo C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group, and R^{16} represents hydrogen atom, halogen atom, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, phenoxy group, substituted phenoxy group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy

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group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, phenylthio group, substituted phenylthio group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group)]] and m represents an integer of 1 to 5; and

Y may be taken conjointly with an adjacent carbon atom on the phenyl ring to form a fused ring, and said fused ring may have at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group; and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group; and n represents an integer of 0 to 2.

A phthalamide derivative or salt thereof according to Claim 2,

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wherein A^1 represents C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, substituted C_1 - C_8 alkylene group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and C_1 - C_6 alkylthio C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and

further, an arbitrary saturated carbon atom in said C_1 - C_8 alkylene group and substituted C_1 - C_8 alkylene group may be substituted with a C_2 - C_5 alkylene group to form a C_3 - C_6 cycloalkane ring, and arbitrary two carbon atoms in said C_1 - C_8 alkylene group and substituted C_1 - C_8 alkylene group may be taken conjointly with an alkylene group or an alkenylene group to form a C_3 - C_6 cycloalkane ring;

R¹ represents hydrogen atom, mercapto group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkynyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkynyl group, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio C₁-C₆ alkyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino C₁-C₆ alkyl group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino C₁-C₆ alkyl group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, C₁-C₆ alkylcarbonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylcarbonyl group, C1-C6 alkylthiocarbonyl group, C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, mono C1-C6 alkylaminocarbonyl group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylaminocarbonyl group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino thiocarbonyl group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino thiocarbonyl group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, C_1 - C_6 alkylcarbonyl C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxyimino C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylaminocarbonyl C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylaminocarbonyl C_1 - C_6 alkyl group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl C₁-C₆ alkyl group, substituted phenyl C1-C6 alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 sulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenylcarbonyl group, substituted phenylcarbonyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenylthio group, substituted phenylthio group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom,

cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, or

alternatively, R¹ may be combined with A¹ to form a 5- to 8-membered ring which may be intercepted by 1 or 2, same or different oxygen atoms, sulfur atoms or nitrogen atoms;

R² and R³ which may be same or different, represent hydrogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl group; or

alternatively, R² may be combined with A¹ or R¹ to form a 5- to 7-membered ring which may be intercepted by 1 or 2, same or different oxygen atoms, sulfur atoms or nitrogen atoms;

X which may be same or different, represents halogen atom, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkenyl group, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl group, halo C_2 - C_6 alkenyl group, C_2 - C_6 alkynyl group, halo C_2 - C_6 alkynyl group, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group or halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and 1 represents an integer of 0 to 4; and

alternatively, X may be taken conjointly with the adjacent carbon atom on the phenyl ring to form a fused ring, and said fused ring may have at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6

alkylsulfonyl group and halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group; and

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Y may be same or different and represents halogen atom, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, hydroxy halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C3-C6 alkenyloxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkenylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, phenoxy group, substituted phenoxy group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, phenylthio group, substituted phenylthio group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group and halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, pyridyloxy group, substituted pyridyloxy group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1- C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, pyridylthio group, substituted pyridylthio group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group; and m represents an integer of 1 to 5; and

Y may be taken conjointly with an adjacent carbon atom on the phenyl ring to form a fused ring, and said fused ring may have at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group; and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group; and

n represents an integer of 0 to 2.

4. A phthalamide derivative or salt thereof according to Claim 3, wherein A¹ represents C₁-C₈ alkylene group;

 $\rm R^1$ represents hydrogen atom, $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group, halo $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group, $\rm C_3\text{-}C_6$ alkenyl group, $\rm C_3\text{-}C_6$ alkynyl group, $\rm C_3\text{-}C_6$ cycloalkyl group, $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylthio group, $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group, $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylthio $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group, $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylcarbonyl group, mono $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylaminocarbonyl group, di $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylaminocarbonyl group in which $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl groups may be same or different, mono $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylaminothiocarbonyl group, di $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylaminothiocarbonyl group in which $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl groups may be same or different, $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylcarbonyl $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group, $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group, $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group, mono $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylaminocarbonyl $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group or di $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylaminocarbonyl $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group in which $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl groups may be same or different;

 ${\rm R}^2$ and ${\rm R}^3$ which may be same or different, represent hydrogen atom or ${\rm C}_1$ - ${\rm C}_6$ alkyl group;

X which may be same or different, represents halogen atom, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group; and 1 represents an integer of 0 to 4; and

alternatively. X may be taken conjointly with the adjacent carbon atom on the phenyl ring to form a fused ring, and said fused ring may have at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, group and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group;

Y may be same or different and represents halogen atom, $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group, halo $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group, $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkoxy group, $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group, $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkoxy group, halo $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkoxy group, halo $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkoxy group, halo $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylsulfinyl group, halo $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylsulfinyl group, halo $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylsulfinyl group, $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylsulfinyl group, halo $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylsulfonyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylsulfinyl group, halo $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylsulfonyl group, substituted phenoxy group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylsulfinyl group and halo $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylsulfonyl group, substituted phenoxy group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylsulfonyl group, halo $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylsulfonyl group, $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylsulfonyl group, or substituted pyridyloxy group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylthio group, halo $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylsulfinyl group and halo $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylsulfonyl group, or substituted pyridyloxy group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group, halo $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylsulfonyl group, halo $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylthio group, halo $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylthio group, halo $C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylsulfonyl group, and m represents an integer of 1 to 5; and

Y may be taken conjointly with an adjacent carbon atom on the phenyl ring to form a fused ring, and said fused ring may have at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group; and n represents an integer of 0 to 2.

 An agrohorticultural insecticide characterized by containing, as an active ingredient thereof, a phthalamide derivative represented by the following general formula (I) or salt thereof:

$$(X)_{1} = 0 \quad A^{1} - S - R^{1}$$

$$(X)_{1} = 0 \quad A^{1} - S - R^{1}$$

$$(Y)_{m} = 0$$

wherein A^1 represents C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, substituted C_1 - C_8 alkylene group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, cyano group, nitro group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylene

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sulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, hydroxy C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group and substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, C_3 - C_8 alkenylene group, substituted C_3 - C_8 alkenylene group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, C_1 - C_6 group, C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group and substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different forms. ferent, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, C₃-C₈ alkynylene group, or substituted C₃-C₈ alkynylene group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group and substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group,

further, an arbitrary saturated carbon atom in said C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, substituted C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, C_3 - C_8 alkenylene group, substituted C_3 - C_8 alkenylene group, C_3 - C_8 alkynylene group and substituted C_3 - C_8 alkylene group to form a C_3 - C_6 cycloalkane ring, and arbitrary two carbon atoms in said C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, substituted C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, C_3 - C_8 alkenylene group and substituted C_3 - C_8 alkenylene group may be taken conjointly with an alkylene group or an alkenylene group to form a C_3 - C_6 cycloalkane ring or C_3 - C_6 cycloalkene ring;

 R^1 represents hydrogen atom, mercapto group, $\mathsf{C}_1\text{-}\mathsf{C}_6$ alkylthio group, halo $\mathsf{C}_1\text{-}\mathsf{C}_6$ alkylthio group, $\mathsf{C}_3\text{-}\mathsf{C}_6$ cycloalkyl group, halo C3-C6 cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenylthio group, substituted phenylthio group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, or -A²-R⁴ [wherein A² represents -C(=O)-, -C(=S)-, -C(=NR⁵)- (in which R⁵ represents hydrogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group or substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6

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 C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, halo C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, C_3 - C_6 alkenylene group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenylene group or halo C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group; and

(1) in cases where A² represents -C(=O)-, -C(=S)-or -C(=NR⁵)- wherein R⁵ is as defined above, R⁴ represents hydrogen atom, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C3-C6 cycloalkyl group, halo C3-C6 cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C1-C6 alkylamino group, di C1-C6 alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, or -Z¹-R⁶ wherein Z¹ represents -O-, -S- or -N(R⁷)- (wherein R⁷ represents hydrogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylcarbonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylcarbonyl group or C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group), and R^6 represents hydrogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkynyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkynyl group, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C1-C6 alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, substituted phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, di C1-C6 alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo $C_1\text{-}C_6 \text{ alkylsulfonyl group, mono } C_1\text{-}C_6 \text{ alkylamino group, di } C_1\text{-}C_6 \text{ alkylamino group in which } C_1\text{-}C_6 \text{ alkylamino group, di }$ groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, and

(2) in cases where A2 represents C1-C8 alkylene group, halo C1-C8 alkylene group, C3-C6 alkenylene group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenylene group, C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group or halo C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group, R^4 represents hydrogen atom, halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylaminocarbonyl group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino carbonyl group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 sulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C1-C6 alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, or -Z²-R⁸ wherein Z² represents -O-, -S-, -SO-, -SO₂-, -N(R⁹)- (wherein R⁹ represents hydrogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylcarbonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylcarbonyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenylcarbonyl group, or substituted phenylcarbonyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy

group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group), -C(=O)- or $-C(=NOR^{10})$ - (wherein R^{10} represents hydrogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, C₃-C₆ C6 cycloalkyl group, phenyl C1-C4 alkyl group or substituted phenyl C1-C4 alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group) and R8 represents hydrogen atom, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C3-C6 alkenyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkynyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkynyl group, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylcarbonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylcarbonyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylaminocarbonyl group, di C₁-C₆ alkylaminocarbonyl group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, substituted phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group], or

alternatively, R¹ may be combined with A¹ to form a 5- to 8-membered ring which may be intercepted by 1 or 2, same or different oxygen atoms, sulfur atoms or nitrogen atoms;

 R^2 and R^3 which may be same or different, represent hydrogen atom, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group or $-A^2$ - R^4 wherein A^2 and R^4 are as defined above; or

alternatively, R² may be combined with A¹ or R¹ to form a 5- to 7-membered ring which may be intercepted by 1 or 2, same or different oxygen atoms, sulfur atoms or nitrogen atoms;

X which may be same or different, represents halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C1-C6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, or - A^3 - R^{11} [wherein A^3 represents -O-, -S-, -SO-, -SO₂-, -C(=O)-, -C(=NOR¹²)- (in which R^{12} represents hydrogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, C3-C6 alkynyl group, C3-C6 cycloalkyl group, phenyl C1-C4 alkyl group or substituted phenyl C1-C₄ alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C1-C6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6

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alkoxycarbonyl group), C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, C_2 - C_6 alkenylene group, halo C_2 - C_6 alkynylene group, C_2 - C_6 alkynylene group or halo C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group; and

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(1) in cases where A³ represents -O-, -S-, -SO- or -SO₂-, R¹¹ represents halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C3-C6 cycloalkenyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C1-C6 alkylamino group, di C1-C6 alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, or -A⁴-R¹³ (wherein A⁴ represents C₁-C₆ alkylene group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylene group, C_3 - C_6 alkenylene group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenylene group, C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group or halo C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group or halo C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group. nylene group, and R¹³ represents hydrogen atom, halogen atom, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, or -A⁵-R¹⁴ (wherein A⁵ represents -O-, -S-, -SO-, -SO₂- or -C(=O)-, and R¹⁴ represents C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁- C_6 alkyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkynyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkynyl group, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group)), and

(2) in cases where A³ represents -C(=O)- or -C(=NOR¹²)- wherein R¹² is as defined above, R¹¹ represents hydrogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl group, halo C_2 - C_6 alkenyl group, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, phenylamino group, substituted phenylamino group having on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C1-C6 alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆

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alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, and

(3) in cases where A³ represents C₁-C₆ alkylene group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylene group, C₂-C₆ alkenylene group, halo C_2 - C_6 alkenylene group, C_2 - C_6 alkynylene group or halo C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group, R^{11} representations. sents hydrogen atom, hydroxy group, halogen atom, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, $\text{halo } C_1\text{-}C_6 \text{ alkoxy group, } C_1\text{-}C_6 \text{ alkylthio group, halo } C_1\text{-}C_6 \text{ alkylthio group, } C_1\text{-}C_6 \text{ alkylsulfinyl group, halo } C$ C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C1-C6 alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, or -A⁶-R¹⁵ (wherein A⁶ represents -O-, -S-, -SO- or -SO₂-, and R¹⁵ represents C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 sulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, or -A⁷-R¹⁶ (wherein A⁷ represents C₁-C₆ alkylene group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, C_2 - C_6 alkenylene group, halo C_2 - C_6 alkenylene group, C_2 - C_6 alkylene group, C_2 - C_6 alkenylene group, C_2 - C_6 alkylene group, C_2 - C_6 alkylene group, C_2 - C_6 alkylene group, C_2 - C_6 alkenylene group, C_2 - C_6 alkylene group, C_2 - C_6 nylene group or halo C₃-C₆ alkynylene group, and R¹⁶ represents hydrogen atom, halogen atom, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C3-C6 cycloalkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenoxy group, substituted phenoxy group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenylthio group, substituted phenylthio group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group))]; and I represents an integer of 0 to 4; and

alternatively, X may be taken conjointly with the adjacent carbon atom on the phenyl ring to form a fused ring, and said fused ring may have at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of

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halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group; and

Y may be same or different and represents halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, halo C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, tri C_1 - C_6 alkylsilyl group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfiny

Y may be taken conjointly with an adjacent carbon atom on the phenyl ring to form a fused ring, and said fused ring may have at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, and substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group; and n represents an integer of 0 to 2.

6. An agrohorticultural insecticide according to Claim 5,

wherein A1 represents C1-C8 alkylene group, substituted C1-C8 alkylene group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio C₁-C₆ alkyl group, phenyl group and substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, C_3 - C_8 alkenylene group, substituted C_3 - C_8 alkenylene group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, and C₁-C₆ alkylthio C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₃-C₈ alkynylene group, or substituted C₃-C₈ alkynylene group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group and C₁-C₆ alkylthio C₁-C₆ alkyl group,

further, an arbitrary saturated carbon atom in said C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, substituted C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, C_3 - C_8 alkenylene group, substituted C_3 - C_8 alkenylene group and substituted C_3 - C_8 alkylene group to form a C_3 - C_6 cycloalkane ring, and arbitrary two carbon atoms in said C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, substituted C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, C_3 - C_8 alkylene group and

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substituted C3-C8 alkenylene group may be taken conjointly with an alkylene group or an alkenylene group to form a C₃-C₆ cycloalkane ring or C₃-C₆ cycloalkene ring;

R1 represents hydrogen atom, mercapto group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C3-C6 cycloalkyl group, halo C3-C6 cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group. groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenylthio group, substituted phenylthio group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, or -A²-R⁴ [wherein A² represents -C(=O)-, -C(=S)-, -C(=NR⁵)- (in which R⁵ represents hydrogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group or substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group and halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group), C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, halo C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, C_3 - C_6 alkenylene group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenylene group, C_3 - C_6

C₆ alkynylene group or halo C₃-C₆ alkynylene group; and

(1) in cases where A² represents -C(=O)-, -C(=S)-or -C(=NR⁵)- wherein R⁵ is as defined above, R⁴ represents hydrogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 -C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group and halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, or -Z¹-R⁶ wherein Z¹ represents -O-, -S- or -N(R⁷)- (wherein R⁷ represents hydrogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylcarbonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylcarbonyl group or C_1 -C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group), and R⁶ represents hydrogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group and halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, phenyl C1-C4 alkyl group, substituted phenyl C1-C4 alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, and (2) in cases where A² represents C₁-C₈ alkylene group, halo C₁-C₈ alkylene group, C₃-C₆ alkenylene

group, halo C₃-C₆ alkenylene group, C₃-C₆ alkynylene group or halo C₃-C₆ alkynylene group, R⁴ repre-

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sents hydrogen atom, halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylaminocarbonyl group, di C₁-C₆ alkylaminocarbonyl group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group and halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, and halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, or - Z^2 - R^8 wherein Z^2 represents -O-, -S-, -SO-, -SO $_2$ -, -N(R^9)-(wherein R^9 represents hydrogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylcarbonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylcarbonyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, phenylcarbonyl group, or substituted phenylcarbonyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁- C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group), -C(=O)- or -C(=NOR¹⁰)- (wherein R¹⁰ represents hydrogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, phenyl C₁-C₄ alkyl group or substituted phenyl C₁-C₄ alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group) and R^8 represents hydrogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylcarbonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylcarbonyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylaminocarbonyl group, di C₁-C₆ alkylaminocarbonyl group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 -C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group and halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, phenyl C₁-C₄ alkyl group, substituted phenyl C1-C4 alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁- C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio $group,\ halo\ C_1-C_6\ alkylthio\ group,\ C_1-C_6\ alkylsulfinyl\ group,\ halo\ C_1-C_6\ alkylsulfinyl\ group,\ C_1-C_6\ alk$ fonyl group and halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group], or

alternatively, R¹ may be combined with A¹ to form a 5- to 8-membered ring which may be intercepted by 1 or 2, same or different oxygen atoms, sulfur atoms or nitrogen atoms;

 R^2 and R^3 which may be same or different, represent hydrogen atom, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group or $-A^2$ - R^4 wherein A^2 and R^4 are as defined above; or

alternatively, R² may be combined with A¹ or R¹ to form a 5- to 7-membered ring which may be intercepted by 1 or 2, same or different oxygen atoms, sulfur atoms or nitrogen atoms;

X which may be same or different, represents halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl group, halo C_2 - C_6 alkenyl group, C_2 - C_6 alkynyl group, halo C_2 - C_6 alkynyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, or C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl group and I represents an integer of 0 to 4; and

alternatively, X may be taken conjointly with the adjacent carbon atom on the phenyl ring to form a fused ring, and said fused ring may have at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6

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alkylsulfonyl group and halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group; and

Y may be same or different and represents halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, halo C3-C6 cycloalkyl group, tri C₁-C₆ alkylsilyl group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 nyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group and halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 nyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, or - A^3 - R^{11} [wherein A^3 represents -O-, -S-, -SO-, -SO₂-, -C(=O)-, -C(=NOR 12)- (in which R 12 represents hydrogen atom, C $_1$ -C $_6$ alkyl group, halo C $_1$ -C₆ alkyl group, C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group or substituted phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo $C_1-C_6 \text{ alkylthio group, } C_1-C_6 \text{ alkylsulfinyl group, halo } C_1-C_6 \text{ alkylsulfinyl group, } C_1-C_6 \text{ alkylsulfonyl group, and } C_1-C_6 \text{ alkylsulfonyl group, halo } C_1-C_6 \text{ alkylsulfonyl group, } C_1-C_6 \text{ alkylsulfonyl gro$ halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group), C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, C_2 - C_6 alkenylene group, halo C_2 - C_6 alkenylene group, C_2 - C_6 alkynylene group or halo C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group; and

(1) in cases where A³ represents -O-, -S-, -SO- or -SO₂-, R¹¹ represents phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 sulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, and halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, or $-A^4-R^{13}$ (wherein A^4 represents C_1-C_6 alkylene group, halo C_1-C_6 alkylene group, C_3-C_6 alkenylene group, halo C₃-C₆ alkenylene group, C₃-C₆ alkynylene group or halo C₃-C₆ alkynylene group, and R¹³ represents hydrogen atom, halogen atom, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, or -A⁵-R¹⁴ (wherein A⁵ represents -O-, -S-, -SO-, -SO₂- or -C(=O)-, and R¹⁴ represents C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group and halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group)), and (2) in cases where A³ represents -C(=O)- or -C(=NOR¹²)- wherein R¹² is as defined above, R¹¹ represents

hydrogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl group, halo C_2 - C_6 alkenyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group,

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group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, and

(3) in cases where A3 represents C1-C6 alkylene group, halo C1-C6 alkylene group, C2-C6 alkenylene group, halo C_2 - C_6 alkenylene group, C_2 - C_6 alkynylene group or halo C_3 - C_6 alkynylene group, R^{11} representations. sents hydrogen atom, hydroxy group, halogen atom, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, or -A⁶-R¹⁵ (wherein A⁶ represents -O-, -S-, -SO- or $-SO_2$, and R^{15} represents $C_3 \cdot C_6$ cycloalkyl group, halo $C_3 \cdot C_6$ cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁- C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, heterocyclic group, substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfine group, halo C_1 - C_6 nyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, or - A^7 - R^{16} (wherein A^7 represents C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, C_2 - C_6 alkenylene group, halo C2-C6 alkenylene group, C2-C6 alkynylene group or halo C3-C6 alkynylene group, and R16 represents hydrogen atom, halogen atom, C3-C6 cycloalkyl group, halo C3-C6 cycloalkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, phenoxy group, substituted phenoxy group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, phenylthio group, substituted phenylthio group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group. nyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group))] and m represents an integer of 1 to 5; and

Y may be taken conjointly with an adjacent carbon atom on the phenyl ring to form a fused ring, and said fused ring may have at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group; and n represents an integer of 0 to 2.

7. An agrohorticultural insecticide according to Claim 6,

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wherein A¹ represents C_1 - C_8 alkylene group, substituted C_1 - C_8 alkylene group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and C_1 - C_6 alkylthio C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and C_1 - C_6 alkylthio C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and

further, an arbitrary saturated carbon atom in said C_1 - C_8 alkylene group and substituted C_1 - C_8 alkylene group may be substituted with a C_2 - C_5 alkylene group to form a C_3 - C_6 cycloalkane ring, and arbitrary two carbon atoms in said C_1 - C_8 alkylene group and substituted C_1 - C_8 alkylene group may be taken conjointly with an alkylene group or an alkenylene group to form a C_3 - C_6 cycloalkane ring;

 R^1 represents hydrogen atom, mercapto group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, halo C₃-C₆ alkynyl group, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkoxy C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkylthio C₁-C₆ alkyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino C₁-C₆ alkyl group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino C₁-C₆ alkyl group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different, C₁-C₆ alkylcarbonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylcarbonyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylthiocarbonyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylaminocarbonyl group, di $C_1\text{-}C_6 \text{ alkylaminocarbonyl group in which } C_1\text{-}C_6 \text{ alkyl groups may be same or different, mono } C_1\text{-}C_6 \text{ alkylaminocarbonyl group in which } C_1\text{-}C_6 \text{ alkylaminocarbonyl g$ thiocarbonyl group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino thiocarbonyl group in which C_1 - C_6 alkyl groups may be same or different, C₁-C₆ alkylcarbonyl C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxyimino C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl C₁-C₆ alkyl group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylaminocarbonyl C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylaminocarbonyl C_1 - C_6 alkyl group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, mono C₁-C₆ alkylamino group, di C₁-C₆ alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl C₁-C₆ alkyl group, substituted phenyl C₁-C₆ alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C1-C6 alkylamino group, di C1-C6 alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenylcarbonyl group, substituted phenylcarbonyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, mono C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group, di C_1 - C_6 alkylamino group in which C_1 - C_6 groups may be same or different and C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenylthio group, substituted phenylthio group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C1-C6 alkylamino group, di C1-C6 alkylamino group in which C₁-C₆ alkyl groups may be same or different and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, heterocyclic group, or substituted heterocyclic group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, cyano group, nitro group, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 sulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C1-C6 alkylamino group, di C1-C6 alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different and C₁-C₆ alkoxycarbonyl group, or

alternatively, R¹ may be combined with A¹ to form a 5- to 8-membered ring which may be intercepted by 1 or 2, same or different oxygen atoms, sulfur atoms or nitrogen atoms;

R² and R³ which may be same or different, represent hydrogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl group; or

alternatively, R² may be combined with A¹ or R¹ to form a 5- to 7-membered ring which may be intercepted by 1 or 2, same or different oxygen atoms, sulfur atoms or nitrogen atoms;

X which may be same or different, represents halogen atom, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkenyl group, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl group, halo C_2 - C_6 alkenyl group, C_2 - C_6 alkynyl group, halo C_2 - C_6 alkynyl group, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group or halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group and 1 represents an integer of 0 to 4; and

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alternatively, X may be taken conjointly with the adjacent carbon atom on the phenyl ring to form a fused ring, and said fused ring may have at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group; and

Y may be same or different and represents halogen atom, C₁-C₆ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, hydroxy halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio halo C₁-C₆ alkyl group, C₃-C₆ alkenyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenyl group, C_3 - C_6 alkynyl group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkynyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkoxy halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alky group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_3 - C_6 alkenyloxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkenylthio group, C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, mono C1-C6 alkylamino group, di C1-C6 alkylamino group in which C1-C6 alkyl groups may be same or different, C1-C6 alkoxycarbonyl group, C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, halo C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C1-C6 alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group, phenoxy group, substituted phenoxy group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylthio group, halo C1-C6 alkylsulfinyl group, and halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, phenylthio group, substituted phenylthio group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1-C6 alkyl group, C1-C6 alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₆ alkoxy group, C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group and halo C1-C6 alkylsulfonyl group, pyridyloxy group, substituted pyridyloxy group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C1-C6 alkyl group, halo C1- C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfinyl group and halo C₁-C₆ alkylsulfonyl group, pyridylthio group, substituted pyridylthio group having at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group; and m represents an integer of 1 to 5; and

Y may be taken conjointly with an adjacent carbon atom on the phenyl ring to form a fused ring, and said fused ring may have at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group; and n represents an integer of 0 to 2.

An agrohorticultural insecticide according to Claim 7, wherein A¹ represents C₁-C₈ alkylene group;

 $\rm R^1$ represents hydrogen atom, $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group, halo $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group, $\rm C_3\text{-}C_6$ alkenyl group, $\rm C_3\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group, $\rm C_3\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group, $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylthio group, $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group, $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylthio $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group, $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylaminocarbonyl group, di $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylaminocarbonyl group, di $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylaminocarbonyl group, di $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylaminothiocarbonyl group, di $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylaminothiocarbonyl group, di $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylaminothiocarbonyl group in which $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylaminothiocarbonyl group in which $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl groups may be same or different, $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylaminothiocarbonyl $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group, $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group, $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group, $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group in which $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkylaminocarbonyl $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group in which $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl group in which $\rm C_1\text{-}C_6$ alkyl groups may be same or different;

R² and R³ which may be same or different, represent hydrogen atom or C₁-C₆ alkyl group;

X which may be same or different, represents halogen atom, nitro group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, and 1 represents an integer of 0 to 4; and

alternatively, X may be taken conjointly with the adjacent carbon atom on the phenyl ring to form a fused ring, and said fused ring may have at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group;

Y may be same or different and represents halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl

Y may be taken conjointly with an adjacent carbon atom on the phenyl ring to form a fused ring, and said fused ring may have at least one, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfinyl group and halo C_1 - C_6 alkylsulfonyl group; and n represents an integer of 0 to 2.

9. A method for using an agrohorticultural insecticide, characterized by treating an objective crop or applying to soil in an effective quantity of the agrohorticultural insecticide according to any one of Claims 5 to 8 for the purpose of protecting a useful crop.

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